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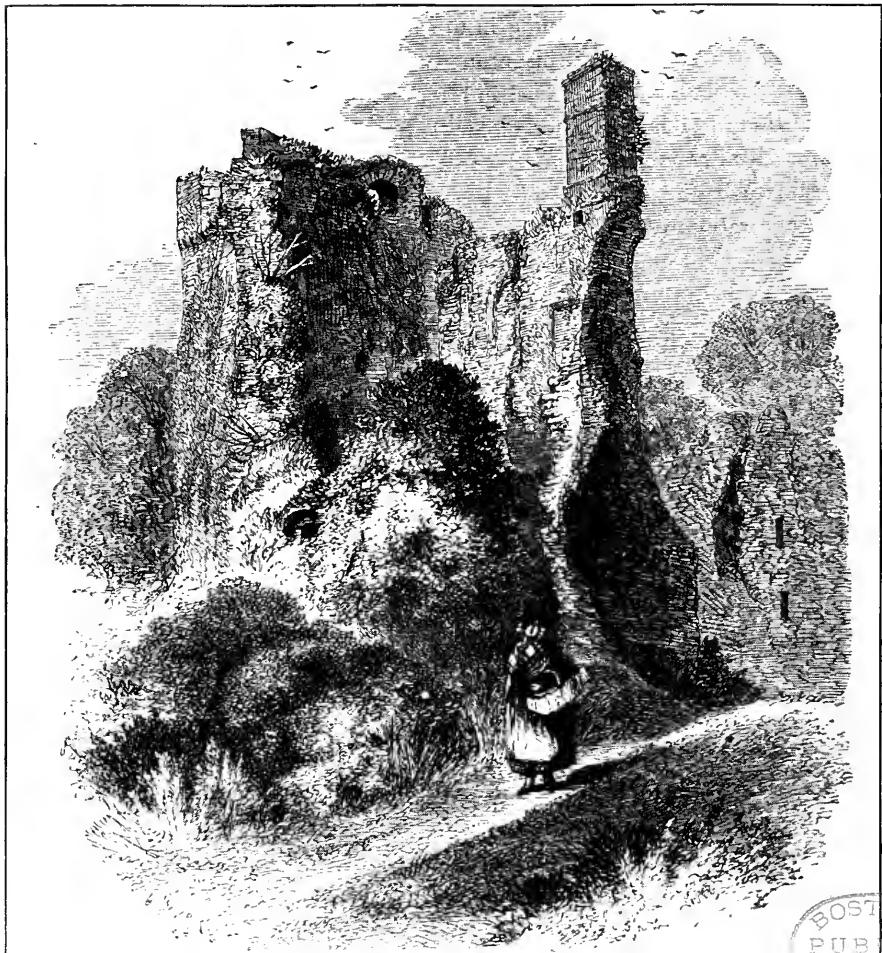
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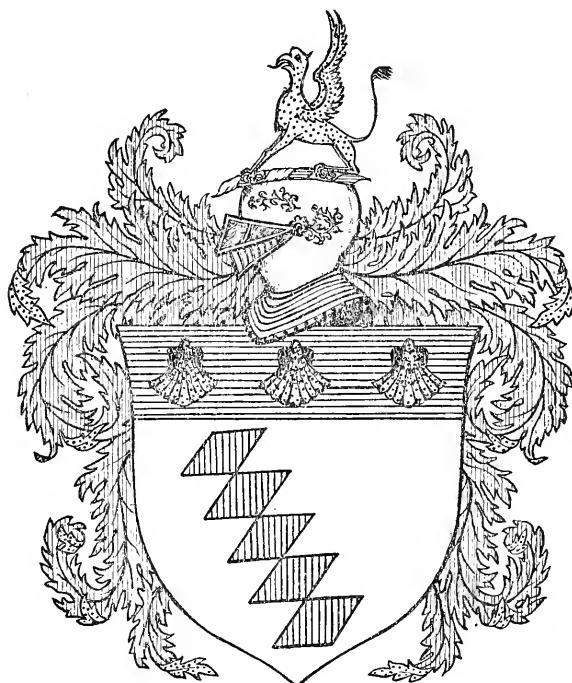


RUINS OF COITY CASTLE



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# INTRODUCTION.

THE items in this genealogy were originally collected while searching for the American ancestor of the author, and are now published at the earnest request of a number of the members of the family. Much matter of interest relating to the early family was found in this research, among which, beside ancient pedigrees, is the sketch of Coity Castle, the ruins of which are herein illustrated. "Fair Coity," as it was called in ancient chronicles, was near Bridgend, on the river Agmore, on the southern coast of Wales—the land of medieval song and story. The name in Welsh is Coed-ty, signifying wood house. Undoubtedly, in the remote past, a house of wood stood upon the site of the later castle. The stone castle was built by Sir Simmonet Turberville about 1120, and became, two centuries later, the home of the Gamage family for many generations, until it was sacked and nearly demolished by Cromwell. It is the largest ruin in Wales, except that of Caerphilly, and was recently purchased by Lord Dunraven, on whose estate it bordered. It will now be preserved from further depredations.

## CHRONOLOGICAL RECORD.

At the time of the Norman invasion Wales was governed by a number of petty kings. They were:

*Gwaethford*, whose arms were—Or, a lion rampant, regardant, sable, crowned gules. Crest, a black cock. Motto, "*Si Deus nobis, quis contra nos.*"

*Jestyn ap Gwrgan*—Arms: Gules, three chevronelles argent. Crest, a Paschal lamb. Motto, "*Vincet qui partitur.*"

*Einon ap Collwyn*. Arms: A chevron between three fleur-de-lys.

*Bleddri ap Cadivor*, of Cilsant. Arms: Argent, a lion rampant, gardant sable. Crest, griffin segreant, or.

*Bleddyn ap Maenarch*.

The Morgan and Vaughn descendants carry the Cadivor arms, and the Gamage carry the same crest.

After the Conquest there was added to these princely rulers the Herbert family, the Gower family and the Advenæ, as the Normans were called. The Gamage family came under the head of the Advenæ, they being of the Norman conquerors who married Welsh heiresses. The last of the British race who was lord of Coity was Morgan (ap Megryg, ap Griffith, ap Jestyn, ap Gwrgan), who was King of Glamorgan and Prince of the Seven Cantredes of Saluria, which country included all the territory between Gloucester Bridge and the river Towy.

Of Morgan's daughter, Sar, the following story is related in old manuscripts: Payne Turberville, one of Fitz-Hammon's knights, who came for the spoliation of Wales in 1089, finding that no grant of land had been made to him, demanded his share. Fitz-Hammon replied, "There are men and arms, go, get it where you can." Turberville set his eyes on "Fair Coity" and commanded Morgan to give it up. Morgan took his daughter by one hand and, with drawn sword in the other, replied, "If you marry my daughter and come to my castle like an honest man you may have it, if not, let my arm and sword and those of yours decide who shall call the castle his own." Turberville surrendered his sword, took the daughter's hand, married her, and so came into possession of the lordship of Coity. Their descendants, "of Coity," were as follows:

Simmonet—2. Son of Payne Turberville (1). He erected the new castle about the year 1120.

Sir Payne—3. Married Matilda, daughter of Morgan Gam, (ap Caradoc, ap Jestyn, ap Gwrgan).

Sir Gilbert—4. Had two sons, Payne and Gilbert.

Sir Payne—5. He died without issue and was succeeded by his brother,

Sir Gilbert—5. He married Meiwen, daughter of Lord Cadwgan (whose estate or castle was on the river Alain. A son of Ithel, descended from Jestyn ap Gwrgan). Their son was

Sir Gilbert—6. His son was

Sir Richard—7. Sir Richard's fourth son was

Sir Payne—8. He married Gwenllian, daughter of Sir Richard Talbot. They had four sons: Gilbert, Richard, Simmonet, Edward, and four daughters: Agnes, who married Sir John de la Bere, lord of Weobly Castle in Gower; Margaret, who married Sir Richard Stackpole of Pembroke; Catherine, who married Sir Roger Berkerolles of New Orchard, in St. Athans; he was lord of St. Athans; and Sarah, who married Sir William Gamage, lord of Roggiet, Monmouthshire, six and a half miles from Chepstow.

Sir Gilbert—9. He left no legitimate children, and was followed by his brother,

Sir Richard—9. He, also, left no legitimate heirs, but a natural son, Simmonet, took possession of the estates upon Sir Richard's death. He was not allowed to remain, as Sir Richard had settled the whole estate upon his nephew, Sir Laurence Berkerolles, lord of St. Athans, son of his sister Catherine.

Sir Laurence next succeeded to the estates and lordship of Coity. He married Matilda, daughter of Sir Thomas de Spencer, then lord of Glamorgan, who lived at the castle Caerphilly. Lady Matilda poisoned her husband, Sir Laurence, and was buried alive, agreeable to the sentence pronounced upon her (according to the country law) by the Lord Sir Richard Beegan. After the death of Sir Laurence Berkerolles the property passed to Sir William Gamage.

The estate had now descended three times by distaff (heiresses), hence, according to custom, the lordship over courts of justice and seigniory reverted to the King or Crown; but the Gammages were lords of the land, and to them appertained the possessions and manorial supremacy of the estates.

#### GAMACHES IN NORWAY AND ENGLAND.

The name Gamache, later Gamage, is of ancient origin, and is traced in France to Inezar, who came with Rolla the Dane to the coast of France in 912, in search of lands or booty. These northern pirates, for as such they were regarded, had become such a terror, not only to the people but to the crown, that Charles the Simple gave to Rolla a portion of the province of Neustria, and Rolla gave to his companions landed estates in this province that they called Normandy. The name de Gamache was for several generations

famous in the military and literary world of France, but is now dropping out of the lists of noted names as the years bring greater numbers to fill the records. Among the most conspicuous were:

Joachim Rounalt Gamache, a French officer, born at Poitou. He fought against the English in 1450. Louis XI. made him Marshal of France, 1461. He died, 1478.

Phillip de Gamache, born 1568, Professor of Divinity at Sorbonne 25 years. His works were called the "dictionary of fine thought." A man of sterling character as well as of talent. In his relations with Richelieu he displayed integrity, firmness and honorable pride. He died at Paris, 1625.

Etienne Simon Gamache, born at Meulon, 1672. Canon regular. He published "Système du Cœur" in 1704, and was considered one of the most graceful and versatile of writers; equally learned on moral or scientific subjects. He was a member of the French Academy and wrote under the nom de plume of "Clarigny."

The following early pedigree has been collected from reliable English and French publications:

#### GAMACHES OF NORMANDY.

1. INCZAR received lands called "Gamache Marshes," in Viskin, in the Archdeaconry of and near Rouen, from which lordship and estates the family name is derived. His son was
2. COUNT HERLUIN, whose paternal grandson,
4. WILLIAM, married Alice, sister of Hugh Capet, King of France. Their son was
5. BERNARD DE GAMACHE, Count de Guines and Lord de Gamache. He also became Count de St. Valeri by marriage with the heiress. His son was
6. GILBERT DE GAMACHE, who married Papia, daughter of Richard, second Duke of Normandy. Their paternal grandsons, Bernard 8 and Reginald 8 came to England with William the Conqueror. They were lords of St. Velari, which, by the marriage of a descendant of Bernard's, an heiress, passed to the Counts de Dreux. After remaining some time in England, Bernard returned to France, leaving his English estates to his brother.

8. REGINALD DE GAMACHE, whose estates were in Hereford, the western part of England. His son,
9. SIR THOMAS DE GAMACHE, married Joan, daughter of Roger Arnold, Esquire, of Monmouthshire, the first of the Arnolds to adopt a surname. His son was
10. SIR GODFREY DE GAMACHE, who served Henry II. with fifty knights and one thousand retainers. He gave the name Mansel Gamache to his estates in Herefordshire. He still held estates in Viskin, near Rouen. In 1159 he received from Henry II. a grant of land in Hottesdon, Salop County; and in 1172, from Richard I., the estate of Marmshall. He was the ancestor of the Gamaches of Royiade (or Roggiet) of Monmouthshire, and of Coity, Glamorganshire. He also held two knights' fees under the Lacy's in Hereford. He died before 1176, leaving Sir Mathew and William.

SIR MATHEW received from King John estates in Dymock, called Gamache Hall; and also estates in Gloucestershire. He returned to Normandy, leaving his estates to his brother,

11. SIR WILLIAM DE GAMAGE, who adopted the change in the name from Gamache to Gamage. He married Lisabet, daughter and co-heir of Henry de Mineris (son of Sir William Myners). He was custor (keeper) of Ludlow Castle in or before 1201. He also held Mansel, Gamage Hall in Dymock, Gloucester, granted by King John in 1199; and lands in Hereford, Rutland and Gloucester. He died before 1240, and left three sons—Sir Godfrey, Sir Henry and John.

SIR GODFREY acquired lands in the Welsh marshes. He died in 1253, leaving wife Alda and three daughters. The estates of Gamage Hall passed to the Penwardine and Pembridge (or Pembridge) families by the marriage of the heiress. The estate was still called Gamage Hall as late as 1569.

JOHN DE GAMAGE was Prior of St. Guthlak, Hereford, and also Abbot of Gloucester. He was sixty-two years a monk of the Abbey and twenty-three years its abbot. The royal assent to his election was dated October 4, 1284. In 1303 he built a new dormitory for the monks. In 1305 he entertained, at a long-remembered festival, the King's Judges, who sat upon an inquest of Traylibastion, in the great hall of the Abbey. He

died May 15, 1306 or 1307, leaving the reputation of a pious and frugal man, who found the Abbey one thousand marks in debt and left it wealthy, increasing its fold of sheep ten thousand. He was a liberal donor of books and ornaments. He was buried near the door of the cloister, where may be seen a portion of his family's arms, cut in the stone—"portions of the three escutcheons," says "Guillams." A short time before his death, while attending at the funeral of the Queen Mother, at Amesbury, Wiltshire, King Edward I., surrounded by the Prelates of England, declared :

*"Non apparet nisi tam venerabilis pater in regno, mio scut  
Abbas Gloucesteriensis."*

12. SIR HENRY DE GAMAGE, second son of Sir William, married Ela, daughter of Sir Milo de Regni, widow of Sir Simon de Raleigh; probably the heiress who carried the Dinas, Povis and Winster estates into the Raleigh family. His son was
13. SIR GODFRED DE GAMAGE, the reputed founder of the Monmouthshire family. He married Joan, daughter of Gilbert Strongbow, and held Royiade, six and a half miles from Chepstow, southwest. His son was
14. SIR PAYNE DE GAMAGE. He was lord of Royiade, under the lordship of Striguil. He married Margaret, daughter of Roger St. Pierre. It is with Sir Payne that the pedigree of the house of Coity begins. His sons were Sir Robert, and Andrew Payan, who married a daughter of Elizabeth and William Kenneys.
15. SIR ROBERT DE GAMAGE. In a Presentment of the "Free-holders of Wentwood (Gwent or Wales)," it says, "Robert and his ancestors always had rights in Wentwood to the house at Rogiet." He held Mansel Gamage, in Hereford County. He married the heiress of Martel Llahangel, of Rogiett. His sons were Sir William, and John of Rodley, County Gloucester, who had a son, Thomas, 1346. The Gammages were "Lords of the Marches," which means they were noblemen who, in times past, inhabited and made secure the marches of Wales and Scotland, ruling as petty kings, enforcing their own private laws; whose soldiers were marched up and down upon the boundary to the west and south, to prevent depredations from pirates and highwaymen. The custom was abolished by Henry VIII.

16. **SIR WILLIAM DE GAMAGE** was Sheriff of Gloucester in 1325. He was in the suite of Robert Fitz Payn, attending King Edward II. in 1313. He married Sarah, fourth daughter of Payn Turberville of Coity Castle, Glamorgan, and co-heir with her brother Gilbert. His son was
17. **SIR GILBERT DE GAMAGE** of Royiade. He married Lettice, daughter of Sir William Seymour of Penbow. His son was
18. **SIR WILLIAM DE GAMAGE** of Royiade. He obtained Coity Castle on the death of Sir Laurence Berkerolles of New Orchard, Lord of St. Athan. He married Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Radburgh. Their children were Sir Thomas, and Margaret, who married Sir Richard de Beere, who received as crest, for his services at Cressy, "Five ostrich feathers issuing from a ducal coronet." He lived to be very aged. By the inquisition taken in 1419-20, it appears "Sir William Gamage, Knight, died seized of Coity Castle—two parts of the manor and lordship—of Glamorgan—Lanhany Manor, the Advourson of the church, Newland Manor—Tenements in Coity, called Laurensland—Jordan Place or Fairfield, Newcastle Hundreds, and Manor. He took a Seige from Glyndwr and in 1404 the Commons prayed Henry IV. to take steps for his relief." His son was
19. **SIR THOMAS GAMAGE** of Coity and Rogiatt. He married Matilda, daughter of Sir John Dennis (whose arms were: Gules, three leopards' heads jessant, fleur-de-lis or, over all bend engrailed azure). Sir Thomas dropped the "de" from the name. His successors are said to be "of Coity."
20. **SIR JOHN GAMAGE** married the daughter and co-heir of Morgan Llewellyn (ap Evan Llewellyn of Radiz, ap Cynorig, ap Howell, ap Modroe, ap Jestyn, ap Gwrgan, whose arms are quartered with the Gamage arms), with whom he owned lands afterwards known as Gamage lands, in Miskin, or Viskin, France. His children were Morgan, William, Jenet, who married William, ap Robert Mathews of Castell y Mynaect; and Margaret, who married Hugh Fleming.
21. **SIR MORGAN GAMAGE.** He married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Roger Vaughn of Tretower County (Brecon, Lord of Cantriff, Celiff, Penkelly, Merthn Cynoc, &c., and half brother to Wil-

liam, Earl of Pembroke). Arms of Vaughn are said to be the same as Cadivor; Argent, a lion, rampant; gardant, sable.

His children were :

- i. THOMAS.
- ii. ELIZABETH, m. (1) John Straddling; m. (2) John ap Howell, ap John Price of Glyn Nedd.
- iii. MARGARET, m. (1) Jenkin Thomas of Llanvehangel; m. (2) James Turberville of Llantwitt Major.
- iv. JANE, m. Sir William Bawdripp of Penmark.
- v. ANN, m. Robert Raglan of Llantwitt.
- vi. CATHERINE, m. (1) Reginald Powell of Perthir: m (2) William Stanton of Horningham.
- vii. WELLIAN, m. Thomas ap Meyric.

22. SIR THOMAS GAMAGE married Margaret, daughter of Sir John St. John of Tonman Castle, Glamorgan and Bletso Park, whose wife was daughter of Morgan Jenkins Philips, paternally descended from Bleddri, Lord of Kilsant, ap Cadivor. He married (2) Joyce, daughter of Sir Richard Croft of Croft Castle.

Children were by first wife :

- i. ROBERT.
- ii. JOHN had son WESENHAM, whose sons were :  
ROGER, a merchant tailor of London, buried Oct. 10, 1548.  
(Left a son, John, bapt. Sept. 13, 1547; and a daughter, Elizabeth), and  
ANTHONY, alderman of London.
- iii. EDWARD.
- iv. CATHERINE, m. Sir Thomas Straddling.
- v. Mary, m. Walter Herbert of Swansea.
- vi. MARGARET, m. Lord William Howard; later Duke of Norfolk, mother of Charles Howard, beheaded. She d. May, 1581; and her husband d. Jan. 11, 1572-3. Both laid in vault under Ryegate Church.
- vii. ELIZABETH, m. (1) Richard Wogan, Esq., of Pembroke Co.; m. (2) Jenkin Gwyn.

23. SIR ROBERT GAMAGE. He is said by one authority to have married Joan, daughter of Sir Philip Campernon, of Dartington; by another, to have married Joan, daughter of Sir Philip Seymour. He had a very celebrated plea with St. John of Bletso and Basset of Baupre, co-heirs with him, of Sir John and Sir Laurence Berkerolles for the possession of Coity, in which case he was successful. They had

## Children :

- i. SIR JOHN.
- ii. THOMAS.
- iii. MARGARET, m. Miles Mathews of Landaff; m. (2) Thomas Lewis of Van; m. (3) Capt. Herbert of Cardiff.
- iv. MARY, m. William Lewis of St. Pierre.
- v. ELIZABETH, m. Watkin Louther of Tythestow.
- vii. JOYCE, m. Roger Arnold\* of Llantrey, Monmouthshire.

24. SIR JOHN GAMAGE married Wenlien, daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas ap Jenkyn Powell of Glymoyer. They had Barbara, sole heiress, born 1561; died at Penshurst Castle, Kent, May 26, 1621. She was a very considerable heiress, and her property, birth and connections brought her many suitors. She was a favorite lady in waiting at the Court of Elizabeth, who married her to Robert, son of Sir Henry Sydney. This Robert was a younger brother to the celebrated Sir Philip Sydney, by whose untimely death he became the head of his house and heir to his uncle, Sir Robert Dudley, Earl of Leicester. Robert Sydney was born 1553, made member of Parliament for Glamorgan 1585. In 1586, accompanied by his uncle, the Earl of Warwick, he was knighted at Flushing. In 1605 he was created Viscount de L'Isle, and in 1616 received the Garter. In 1618 he succeeded to the Earldom of Leicester, his mother being the sister of Robert Dudley. Lady Barbara lived to share all her husband's honors, whom she survived. Her portrait, with those of her children, still grace the walls of Penshurst. In the Sydney armorial shield the last four quarterings are due to the Gamage family. The Gamage arms are : Argent, five fusils in bend, gules : on a chief azure, three escallops, or, Crest, a griffin segreant, or. The home life of Lady Barbara is made memorable by Ben Jonson in his poem "To Penshurst." With her the titled line of Gamage ended.

There has been a tradition in the New England families of all branches, that brothers settled in America, but no one of the last three generations has been able to say whom they were, or whence they came; and it has been only by a long and diligent search through church, town and probate records that the New England family has been traced back to John Gamage of Ipswich, Mass.; beside whom,

\* The Arnolds descended from the ancient Kings of Wales.

there died in Boston, 1729, "Thomas Gamage, formerly of Taunton, Eng'd," no descendants of whom have been found.

There was a Thomas Gamage of Taunton, a convicted rebel, transported February, 1685, in ship John Friggat, of Bristol, and sold to Ann Salop, in Barbadoes, with ten others.—(Hotten's Emigrants). If a rebel at that time, he must have been in Cromwell's second army and, after the Restoration, arrested; or in Monmouth's Rebellion of 1684-5. He probably received a sentence of fifteen or twenty years' servitude, after which he, naturally, came to Massachusetts to be near his brother, who had escaped from England during her troublous era, and long before his own exile. He settled in Boston, a place offering larger facilities for trade than Ipswich. He was a merchant clothier (seller of cloth). We note that two daughters of John were married in Boston, without doubt, from the home of Thomas.

It is only in the line of Thomas, second son of Sir Robert, (23) that the names John and Thomas occur as brothers. This suggestion of relationship offers a clew for further research. It is hoped that at no far distant day we may be able to place our New England ancestors in the line of direct descent, and, with the knowledge of an ancient and honorable lineage, there should be some of the younger generations incited to pursue a systematic research in England to accomplish this object. The collateral line in which the names John and Thomas are associated is as follows:

1. THOMAS, second son of Sir Robert, (23) bore arms Argent, on a bend azure, three maces of the first, a chief of the second charged with three escallops, or, quartered with arms of Vaughn. He married Joan, daughter of William ap Thomas Vaughn, whose arms were: Argent, a lion rampant, gardant, sable. Their children were: John and Edward.
2. JOHN, m. Ann Jones, sister of D. Jones, chancellor of Worcester, Llandaff. Children were: Robert,<sup>3</sup> Edward,<sup>3</sup> Morgan,<sup>3</sup> Thomas,<sup>3</sup> Edmund.<sup>3</sup>
3. ROBERT had Robert, Edward, Francis, Mary, Edward, son of Robert,<sup>3</sup> m. a daughter of Sir Rawley Bussy; had John, Edward, Thomas and Francis.

MORGAN,<sup>3</sup> had Morgan.

THOMAS,<sup>3</sup> Parson at St. Bride's, Minor, had John, Edward, Thomas, Philip. The two last went to London in King Charles' troops.

EDMUND,<sup>3</sup> Parson of Coy Church; m. Mary, daughter of Edward Jenkins of Cowbridge. Children were: Thomas, Edward, John, Mary, Sarah, Ann. Parson Edmund Gamage d. 1705.

The homes of the Gamage family were in the counties of Glamorgan, Hereford, Gloucester and Somerset shires, with the exception of the few who went to London, whose records could be easily traced.

Authority is found for these early pedigrees in "Clark's Glamorgan Pedigrees" and "Sir Thomas Nicholas' Antiquities of Wales." As all the Gammages of Great Britain sprang from these, the New England family can be no exception. To know one's ancestry, to be assured that honor and courage are one's inheritance, is a much desired knowledge; yet one need seek no farther back than the seventeenth century to find courage, fortitude and Christian faith—those virtues whose lustre shines with a brilliancy that lights the long pathway of time, that those who walk therein may revere, emulate and honor.

These virtues were possessed in an eminent degree by that company of early emigrants who settled these shores. Imagine, if possible, the final, painful parting from the land of their birth, the last loving clasp of friendly hands, the tearful, heartbreaking embrace of parents and family—the slow, comfortless voyage of months duration, the early life in an unsettled country, where privation, disease and death lurked in every shadow, a prey to wild beasts and fiercer savages. Yet their hearts were strengthened, for faith sustained them in their hours of need. That, indeed, was "the time that tried men's souls." Their struggles and trials were not in vain. It is impossible for us to appreciate the inestimable blessings bequeathed us until we consider the countless thousands who yearly, fleeing from the cruelty and tyranny of the eastern world, rush hither to share with us our rich inheritance.

Let us write these ancestral names in letters of gold upon our hearts, emulate their virtues, perpetuate and reverence their memory in the land the Lord their God gave them. The Gamage family is not numerous, neither has it produced celebrated men; but its members have ever been loyal, law-abiding citizens, generally prosperous, with a marked tendency to be the proprietors of any business, how-

ever small, in which they engage. They are not agriculturists, but possess a taste for medicine, music, study or mechanics, in the latter of which they show, in a remarkable degree, a nicety of workmanship. They have ever commanded the respect of the community in which they resided and held offices of local trust, though politics never appealed to their tastes.

It has been the privilege of the author, with the assistance of Mrs. Louise Fisher McLain, D. A. R.; Mrs. Caroline Fisher Bogardus, D. A. R.; Mrs. Addie Gamage Gleason, D. A. R.; Olonzo Gamage, M. D.; Prof. Frederick Gamage and Mr. Park T. Burrows, to place a stone, marking the tomb in the First Parish Cemetery of Cambridge, Mass., where so many of the early family were laid away. It is hoped that the spot may soon be determined and marked where rests the dust of our ancestor, John Gamage of Ipswich.

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Roman numerals at the left of Christian names denote the number of children in the family of Gamage.

The number following a name denotes the generation to which such person belongs, and in which their record will be found.

Blank pages are left for corrections and additions, as it is almost impossible that there should not be mistakes or omissions in a work of this nature.





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# DESCENDANTS OF JOHN GAMAGE

## OF IPSWICH, MASS.

JOHN<sup>1</sup> GAMAGE of Ipswich, Mass., the ancestor of the family in New England, is first known as a soldier in King Philips' War, 1675, serving under Col. Samuel Appleton. The date of his death has not been found, neither his burial place. He was, without doubt, laid in the Knight tomb. He married Mary, daughter of Alexander Knight. She married, second, Henry Osborn, and had one son, Henry, later of Newport, R. I., as mentioned in will of his half-brother, John. In deed of sale of real estate, 1734, Mary Osborn sells land left her "by her father, Alexander Knight," and calls herself "widow of Henry Osborn." In her will, made Sept. 10, 1734, she leaves estate left her "by her brother — (blurred) Knight, to her beloved son, John Gamage, with whom she lived, who had so tenderly and faithfully cared for her in her old age." Her place of burial has not been found.

Children of John and Mary Gamage were :

- i. JOHN, b. February 6, 1676; m. Hannah Adams. He died April 25, 1753. In his will he mentions "children of his brother Joshua," "children of his brother Nathaniel," and names "Cousin William of Watertown" as executor (cousin meaning nephew). The latter, in papers of settlement, calls John "Uncle." His wife died March 10, 1753. They left no children.
- ii. NATHANIEL,<sup>2</sup> b. Feb., 1678. He died about 1741. In this year a guardian was appointed for minor son, John. No further records can be found of either.
- iii. MARY, b. July 15, 1681, m. in Boston, April 25, 1706, Samuel Bridgeman.
- iv. JOSHUA.<sup>2</sup>
- v. SARAH, m. in Boston, Dec. 4, 1707, Samuel Roberts.



## SECOND GENERATION.

JOSHUA.<sup>2</sup> GAMAGE was a weaver by trade and settled in Cambridge, Mass., about 1708. He was admitted to membership in First Parish Church in 1727. The date of his death has not been found, but it was later than 1744, as he bought land in Attleborough in that year. He was laid in a tomb of First Parish Cemetery. It was the custom at that early date to allow members of the church to select their last resting places in the churchyard, hence the irregularity noticeable in old graveyards. His wife died about 1773. In a sale of real estate, dated June 18, 1773, the following heirs of Joshua and Deborah appear: "William of Watertown," "Martha Hagar," "Sarah Palmer," "Rebecca Bull," "William Dick Gamage, Mariner, of London," "his mother Agnes Gamage of Shrewsbury, N. J." She was laid in First Parish Cemetery, Cambridge. He married, June 22, 1710, Deborah, daughter of William Wyeth, (a son of Nicholas Wyeth, a mason, who came to New England a widower, with three children: Sarah, Mary and Nicholas, Jr. He bought an estate on the west side of Garden Street about 1645. It remained in possession of the heirs over two hundred years, passing into the possession of Deborah, and was, finally, sold by the heirs of Dr. William Gamage and removed to the Flats, where it still serves as a tenement house. He married, for second wife, Rebecca, widow of Thomas Andrew. Their children were: Martha, John, William. He died July 19, 1680, aged 85 years. His son, William, born January 1, 1657, was killed by the Indians, Oct. 1, 1703. On August 19, 1702, he conveyed his estate to trustees, for the benefit of his two daughters. They also had property left them by their spinster aunt, Martha. He married, October 16, 1683, Ruth Shepard. Children: Ruth, born Nov. 29, 1685; William, born 1687; Deborah and Martha.)

## Children :

- i. MARY, b. April 6, 1711-2; d. in infancy.
- ii. NATHANIEL,<sup>3</sup> b. March 1, 1712-3.
- iii. WILLIAM, b. Feb. 21, 1714-5.
- iv. RUTH, b. July 19, 1719; d. young.
- v. SARAH, b. Sept. 1, 1721; m. Jan. 17, 1750, Stephen Palmer. Joined the church, 1741.
- vi. JOHN,<sup>3</sup> b. Feb. 16, 1723-4.



- vii. MARTHA, b. April 17, 1725-6; m. Nov. 6, 1746, Daniel Parkhurst; m. (2) John Hagar.
- viii. REBECCA, b. Dec. 21, 1729; m. March 25, 1756, Jacob Bull. She joined First Church of Cambridge, 1756.
- ix. ELIZABETH, b. April 2, 1731-2; d. young.
- x. DANIEL, b. March 16, 1733-4. A soldier in the Revolution; served three years; under Capt. John Walton fifteen days. Despatched to guard troops to Rutland, seven days, July 27, 1778; despatched to guard troops to the Convention, Sept. 4, 1778. No further record.

### THIRD GENERATION.

NATHANIEL<sup>3</sup> GAMAGE (Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born March 1, 1712-3. He mysteriously disappeared and it was believed he had been seized by the press gang, a method often pursued at that time in order to secure men for the English navy. He was never heard of and his wife returned, with her little children, to her home in Rockport, Mass. Soon after 1795, she went with two sons and their families to Bristol, Maine, where she died in 1821, aged 104 years. She was buried on the farm, where the graves of herself and other members of her family are still to be seen. She was a small but very active woman, intelligent and quick witted. She had bright, black eyes and dark hair that never turned gray. Her activity of mind yielded to the touch of time a few years before her death, but her bodily usefulness remained to the last. He married Mary Norwood, born Oct. 18, 1717, daughter of Joshua Norwood.\*

#### Children :

- i. MARY, bapt. Dec. 23, 1734.
- ii. JOSHUA, bapt. Jan. 3, 1741.
- iii. RUTH, bapt. Dec. 25, 1743; m. Sept. 16, 1760, Samuel Tarr of Gloucester, Mass.
- iv. JOHN, bapt. Jan. 12, 1746. He was "a sailor, who engaged heartily and courageously in the struggle for Independence. Was taken prisoner from the Yankee 'Hero' by H. M. S. Milford, and imprisoned twelve years on board H. M. S. 'Renown.' He died at Rockport, Mass., 1824. Two sons and a daughter lived to be near ninety years of age."—Extract from Nichols' County Families. Descendants still live in Rockport.
- v. REBECCA, bapt. Oct. 23, 1748.

\* Babson's History of Gloucester, Mass., says: "Mary Norwood Gamage died at Bristol, Maine, March, 1814, 97 years of age, and not 105, as tradition reports."—AUTHOR.

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WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> GAMAGE (Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Cambridge, Mass., Feb., 1714-5. He settled in Watertown. He was an officer in a Middlesex regiment—ensign, 1763; lieutenant, 1765. He was received in First Parish Church of Cambridge, Feb. 15, 1756. In all deeds or records he is styled "Gentleman." He died in Cambridge, Dec. 21, 1783, and was laid in the family tomb in First Parish Cemetery. His wife was received into Church Dec. 18, 1757. In 1790 her estate was settled by her son, Dr. William Gamage, after which she went to live with her son, Dr. John Gamage of New York City, where she died Dec. 21, 1803, aged 85 years, passing to her rest while sleeping, and without any previous ill health. Notice of her death appeared in the New York Weekly Visitor of Dec. 25, 1803. He was married in Boston, Aug. 1, 1746, to Abigail, b. Aug. 2, 1721, daughter of Stephen and Hannah (Fuller) Cook. (For ancestry see Appendix.)

Children :

- i. WILLIAM,<sup>4</sup> b. Feb. 22, 1748.
- ii. ABIGAIL, b. Aug. 5, 1750; d. young.
- iii SAMUEL,<sup>4</sup> b. Aug. 25, 1751.
- iv. JOSHUA,<sup>4</sup> b. in Cambridge Jan., 1753.
- v. DANIEL, b. March, 1755; d. young.
- vi. ABIGAIL, b. May 28, 1759; m. Dr. Eph'm Ware of Groton, Mass.
- vii. DANIEL, b. May 4, 1761. No further record.
- viii. JOHN, b. March, 1765.

JOHN<sup>3</sup> GAMAGE (Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Cambridge, Feb. 16, 1723-4. He moved to New York City before 1749, as, in that year he sold an estate in Cambridge, in deed of which he styles himself "Sadler of N. Y." His wife was named Agnes and his son William Dick. He died in Shrewsbury, New Jersey, 1772, intestate.\* Administration papers were granted May 9, 1772, to Joseph Price, "William Dick of Great Britain, and his mother, Agnes Gamage of Shrewsbury," mentioned in the settlement of the estate of Mrs. Joshua Gamage of Cambridge, 1783. Agnes was, probably, the daughter or granddaughter of Sir William Dick of New York. She had in her possession a portrait of Sir William, in steel armour, which is attributed to the artist, Sir Godfrey Kneller—now owned by her descendant, Rev. W. A. Sheringham, Donnington, Eng-

\* These are the only known descendants of JOHN<sup>3</sup> GAMAGE.



land. Mrs. Jane Nicholson charged the children of her dead sister, Eliza, "to be careful of it as it was the portrait of their mother's ancestor." These papers regarding Sir William Dick were found among the papers of Rev. John William Sheringham, after his death. "Sir William Dick of Braid, Scotland, loaned to Charles First of England £52,000, in 1642. When the claim was presented, in 1656, it was acknowledged by the Crown, but not paid—was presented again by Sir William's widow 1695. Again by their son Sir William—later of N. York, 1707, and last by Sir Robert Dick in 1735, but has not been paid. This has been traced by the present Baronet, Sir Page Dick, whose Grand Father was Sir Robert Dick tenth Earl of Walpole." Among the State papers at Albany, New York, are these statements: "William Dick appointed Commissioner of Indian Affairs July 13, 1734." "Gen'l Corbey recommends Capt. William Dick to Seat in Counsel and States the Capt. is a favorite of Lord Stanhope." "Capt. William Dick of independent India Company posted in N. York died December 10, 1737."

**CAPT. WILLIAM DICK<sup>4</sup> GAMAGE** (John,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> Joshua<sup>1</sup>). He was in the service of the East India Company and commander of the ship "Asia," 1773; of the "Belmont" from 1780 to 1793, on board of which he died soon after leaving Bengal, April 2, 1793. His home was in Walthamstow, where his will was made. It was signed in London Jan. 27, 1788, and proved in London Oct., 1793. He married in Calcutta, India, at St. John's Church, April 24, 1781, Jane, daughter of Richard Stewart (of Scotch descent. He was Steward of Blackwall, County Middlesex, and also of St. Dunstan's Rectory House of London). After her husband's death she removed to London. Her will was drawn at Queen Street, Brompton, in 1801, and proved the same year.

#### Children :

- i. WILLIAM DICK, b. July 9, 1783, No issue.
- ii. RICHARD STEWART, b. Sept. 29, 1785. No issue.
- iii. CHARLES COATS, b. March 13, 1787. Unmarried.
- iv. ELIZA OGILVIE, b. May 2, 1790.
- v. JOHN JAMES. Captain of Madras Artillery. He married Mary Spurle. They had one son, who died, 1841, aged 12 years, at 27 Upper Gloucester Place, Dorset Square, London. Wife died a



widow in 1861. She left the family relics to John William Sheringham, among which was a watch engraved with Gamage crest, and portions of a dinner service decorated with arms of Gamage quartered with Stewart, now in possession of Rev. W. A. Sheringham, Wolverhampton, England.

vi. JANE STEWART, m. Major Hepburn Nicholson, a Scotch Laird of Middleton, Scotland.

ELIZA OGILVIE GAMAGE was born May 2, 1790 (daughter of William Dick,<sup>4</sup> John,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) married at Earling Church, Middlesex, May 13, 1817, John Tewfest Sheringham, born 1793; died March 16, 1856, aged 62 years.

Children were:

- i. ELIZA, d. young; and
- ii. JOHN WILLIAM SHERINGHAM, b. Feb 20, 1820; bapt. at St. Luke's, Chelsea.

JOHN<sup>2</sup> was Vicar of Standish, County Gloucester, England, 1864; Archdeacon and Canon residentiary of Gloucester Cathedral, 1889. He m. at St. Martin's, Stamford, County Lincoln, Aug. 19, 1847, Caroline Harrett, daughter of Col. Charles Tryon of Harrington, Colonel of the 88th Connaught Rangers. His wife was b. Dec. 8, 1822, and d. May 28, 1888, and buried at Standish. He died Feb. 6, 1904, and was buried at Standish. Their son,

WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> ARCHIBALD SHERINGHAM, b. May 27, 1848, Rector of Donnington, Wolverhampton, formerly Incumbent of Alsajar Church, Chester. He m. at Donnington, Jan. 4, 1880, Elizabeth Frances, daughter of Rev. Henry G. de Bunsen (eldest son of Baron Bunsen, for many years Ambassador at the Court of St. James).

Children:

- i. MARY ALSAJAR, b. Sept. 11, 1881.
- ii. CHARLES JOHN DE BUNSEN, b. at Alsajar, Feb. 12, 1883.

#### FOURTH GENERATION.

DR. WILLIAM<sup>4</sup> GAMAGE (William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1748. He studied with the celebrated Dr. William Brattle (who fled from Cambridge in 1774 to the Royalist Army in Boston, where he became a General in the King's service, and died in Nova Scotia, 1776). He entered Harvard College, graduating in 1767. He was a member of the Massachusetts Surgical Society. Dr. Gamage was killed by a sleigh without





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bells, on the evening of January 1, 1821, near his home, on Garden Street, corner of Appian Way, while on his way to a patient. His funeral sermon was preached by Dr. Holmes, Jan. 7, and is among his published sermons. Dr. Gamage rendered valuable and gratuitous services to the army during the War of Independence. He was laid in the family tomb in the cemetery of the First Parish Church, Cambridge. He married in Boston, Nov. 11, 1777, Sarah Doulet.—New North Church Record.

Children :

- i. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 11, 1778. Died in infancy.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 6, 1780, A graduate of Harvard, class of 1802. He was a physician in Boston, associated with Dr. J. Warren. He d. Oct. 5, 1818, and was laid in Gamage tomb, Cambridge.
- iii. SARAH, b. May 4, 1782; m. July 28, 1811, Luther Ellis of Boston.
- iv. BETSEY, b. March 15, 1784; d. young.

Mrs. Gamage died during the summer of 1784. Dr. Gamage married, second, Lucy Watson of Cambridge, Oct. 24, 1784. She d. June 10, 1810.

Children :

- v. ABRAHAM WATSON, b. July 10, 1785; d. 1810. His wife was Sarah Davis, who died Aug. 25, 1845, aged 56 years. They had James, b. 1808; Lucy, b. 1810. They were both laid in the family tomb, Cambridge Cemetery.
- vi. JOHN TYNG, b. Aug. 2, 1786. He settled in Boston—merchant; died in the South, of yellow fever, while there on business.
- vii. LUCY, b. May, 1788; m. her Cousin, Gilbert, of N. Y.
- viii. JAMES, b. Feb. 25, 1790; d. June 4, 1808.
- ix. NATHANIEL,<sup>5</sup> b. Dec. 18, 1791.
- x. ADELAIDE, b. 1793; m. Dr. Edwin Adams. No children.
- xi. An infant—not named; d. July 18, 1795.
- xii. MARY WATSON, b. April 3, 1800; d. June, 1819.

SAMUEL<sup>4</sup> GAMAGE (William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Watertown, Aug. 25, 1751. He was a merchant of Cambridge, Mass. He was a Lieutenant under Capt. Winthrop Gray, of Col. Craft's Regiment of Artillery; also, served one year as Lieutenant of Marines, on board the frigate Dean, in the War of Independence. He was a person of rare culture and refinement. With his son, Amory, he visited France, after the French Revolution, where he secured many rare works of art



from impoverished noblemen. These descended to his grandson, Henry Ten Broeck Gamage of New York City, and were sold, after the latter's death, in 1894. After the death of his first wife, he moved to Hudson, N. Y., 1790, leaving his eldest son, Richard, and his wife's son, Ebenezer Swift, with his wife's father, in Natick. He died in Hudson, N. Y., Aug. 4, 1832, and was buried in the same place. He married, at Waltham, Mass., Feb. 5, 1780, Mrs. Martha (Rice) Swift, widow of Ebenezer Swift, and daughter of Richard Rice of Natick, Mass.—See Appendix.

Children :

- i. RICHARD,<sup>5</sup> b Dec. 11, 1780.
- ii. SAMUEL,<sup>5</sup> b. April 16, 1782.
- iii. AMORY,<sup>5</sup> b. May 30, 1784.
- iv. ELISHA, b. June 15, 1786. A lawyer of Hudson, N. Y. He died while returning from a trip to Barcelona, where he had gone for his health—buried at sea July 4, 1809.
- v. BETSEY, b. April 2, 1788; d, Aug. 21, 1797.

His wife died November 7, 1788. He married (2) June 21, 1792, Mary, daughter of Joseph Ellise of Sag Harbor, L. I., who was killed in the massacre at Groton Fort when it was taken by the English, under Benedict Arnold, Sept. 6, 1781.

Children born in Hudson, N. Y.

- vi. HANNAH, } Twins.
- vii. SARAH, }
- viii. EDWARD; died in S. C. No further record.
- xi. JULIA, who m. ——— Maxwell.
- x. HARRIET, who m. W. H. Shaver of Hudson.

Julia and Harriet were twins.

JOSHUA<sup>4</sup> GAMAGE (William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Cambridge, Mass., Jan., 1753, and settled in Fryburg, Me., 1779. He was a Drummer in Col. Gardner's Regiment at the Battle of Bunker Hill, Charlestown, June 17, 1775. He attended the dedicatory services of Bunker Hill Monument on June 17, 1843, and died from the attendant excitement, June 24, 1843, aged 90 years. He married Mary Beaton of Cambridge. She died Dec. 28, 1825. He married (second) Hannah Gordon. No children.

Children by first wife:

- i. JOSHUA, b. May 31, 1778; d. Nov. 11. 1855.
- ii. MARY, b. in Fryburg, Me., Dec. 28, 1779; m. Feb. 1, 1801, Timothy Evans.



- iii. ANNA, b. Dec. 4, 1781; d. May 29, 1786.
- iv. ABIGAIL, b. July 5, 1784; d. March 17, 1787.
- v. ANNA, b. June 7, 1786; m. Mason Wiley, and moved to Mercer, Me.
- vi. AMELIA, b. July 17, 1788; m. William Wiley of Chatham, N. H.
- vii. ABIGAIL, b. June 5, 1791; d. 1804.
- viii. MARTHA, b. March 17, 1793; d. April 6, 1793.
- ix. REBECCA, b. March 17, 1794; m. Benj. C. Eastman. Children Charlotte, and Charles G. Eastman, the Poet; b. in Fryburg, June 1, 1813. Mr. and Mrs. Eastman d. in Concord, N. H.
- x. JOHN, b. March 19, 1796; d. Dec. 18, 1823.
- xi. SARAH, b. April 1, 1798; m. Moses Knight.
- xii. WILLIAM, b. March 27, 1800; d. 1846. No issue.
- xiii. SUSAN, b. May 14, 1802; d. 1803.
- xiv. CALEB STRONG,<sup>5</sup> b. March 23, 1804.

DR. JOHN<sup>4</sup> GAMAGE (William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Cambridge, Mass., March, 1765. He settled in New York City, where he was a physician and surgeon, with residences in Battery Park, and Bloomingdale in the northern part of the city, where the old hospital was then situated in which he was surgeon. He died October 11, 1816, aged 51 years. Notice of his death in the New York Spectator, Saturday, October 12, 1816: "Died yesterday morning, at New Utrecht, L. I., after a short illness, Doct. John Gamage, aged 51 years, a native of Cambridge, Mass., and for upwards of thirty years a resident of this city. \* \* \* Closing a life of unwearied assiduity and eminence in the practice of his profession, and extensive usefulness in his domestic walks; in the full assurance of entering upon a state of superior felicity in a better world than this beyond the grave." He was laid in the vault of the "Old Brick Church," corner of Beekman and Nassau Streets, but removed August 17, 1856, to Evergreen Cemetery, when the church was demolished. He married, at the Presbyterian Church, N. Y. City, March 5, 1789, Elizabeth Ash.

Children:

- i. GILBERT ASH, b. Dec. 29, 1789; settled in New Orleans, La.
- ii. ELIZA, who m. Capt. John McLearn, a native of Philadelphia, Pa., of Scotch descent, whose children were: 1. John Gamage McLearn, who m. Emma Carroll of Carrollton, La. 2. Celia, who m. Edward M. Cowdray, a lawyer, of East Orange, N. J. He died Jan. 2, 1905. They had Theodore, Albert and Cecil Cowdray. 3. Emma, m. —— Bridges of Boston, Mass. Capt. McLearn d. March 28, 1855, aged 62 years. His wife d. July 29, 1859, aged 60 years.



- iii. HARRIETT—twin sister of Eliza, became blind from typhoid fever, when nineteen years of age; she d. aged 90. She was musical, and ever bore a bright, cheerful spirit through the darkness of a long life.
- iv. GEORGE ASH, m. Lucy Ellis of Boston.
- v. MARIA, d. young.
- vi. CHARLES MCKNIGHT,<sup>5</sup> b. Oct. 7. 1791.
- vii. JOHN WATSON,<sup>5</sup> b. April, 1800.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gamage died March 11, 1811, aged 42 years. Dr. Gamage m. (2) Dec. 12, 1812, Mary, widow of John Wilkins, a merchant, of N. Y. City, and the only surviving child of George Stanton of New York City (a grandson of George Stanton, a merchant of Jamaica, W. I., who settled in New York about 1698. He went, later, to England, where his son, Henry, was born, in Liverpool, May 17, 1699. He died in New York City, June 14, 1757. Henry Stanton's children were: 1 Richard. 2. George. 3. William. George m. April 23, 1757, Agnes Blanc,\* and had Mary).

Their only child was

- viii. Caroline Maria, b. Oct. 3, 1815.

Mrs. Mary Gamage d. Oct. 11, 1815, aged 49—buried in her father's lot at St. Paul's Cemetery, N. Y. City. Dr. Gamage m. (3) at Harlem, N. Y., June 29, 1816, Catherine (Singer) Weaver, widow. She d. Aug. 11, 1816, aged 39 years 3 months.

JOSHUA<sup>4</sup> GAMAGE (Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was baptized in Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 3, 1741. He was brought up in Rockport, Mass. In 1795, accompanied by his mother, his children and two married sons, with their families, he moved to Bristol, Me. At his death, his son Daniel took his farm. He married Elinor Foster of Gloucester, Mass.—See Appendix.

#### Children :

- i. NATHANIEL,<sup>5</sup> b. 1772. Settled in Bristol, Me.
- ii. SAMUEL.
- iii. WILLIAM. Settled in Montvale, Me.
- iv. JOSHUA, b. 1766. Settled in Bristol, Me.
- v. DANIEL.
- vi. JEMIMA, b. 1781; m. —— Pool; d. 1870, at Edgecomb, Me.
- vii. RUTH.
- viii. ELINOR.
- ix. STEPHEN. Settled in Montville, Me.
- x. JANE.

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\*This name, Blanc, is given as it was sent, but it has the appearance of having been evolved from Blank ——. It might be well if some member of the Stanton family would look up this matter.—AUTHOR.





NATHANIEL GAMAGE



## FIFTH GENERATION.

**NATHANIEL<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE** (Dr. William,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Cambridge, Mass., December 18, 1791. He was a merchant of Boston, Mass., where he died in 1822. He was buried in the tomb of Gen. Amasa Davis, on Boston Common. He married, May 24, 1812, Sarah Davis Cowden, granddaughter of Gen. Amasa Davis, who was Quartermaster General for forty years. Mrs. Nathaniel Gamage died March 2, 1867.

## Children:

- i. SARAH, b. Aug. 16, 1813; m. Oct. 1, 1830, Joseph Ballard. Their children were: 1. Sarah, b. 1833; m. Henry Dickerman. 2. Georgiana, b. May 27, 1835. 3. Catherine, d. young.
- ii. AMASA DAVIS, b. Jan. 19, 1815; m., March 4, 1856, Hannah (Hapgood) Houghton, widow. No children. They were both laid in Gen. Davis' tomb.
- iii. CATHERINE, b. June, 1816; d. young.
- iv. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 18, 1817; d. June 3, 1847.
- v. ANDREW RITCHIE, b. May 29, 1819. He was a soldier in the War of the Rebellion, and was killed August 11, 1863.
- vi. JULIA ADELAIDE, b. July 28, 1821; m. Jan. 14, 1852, Warren Hapgood of Boston, Mass., who died Jan. 30, 1902. Mrs. Hapgood d. April 6, 1902.

**JOSHUA<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE** (Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Gloucester, Mass., 1766. He went with his father to Bristol, Maine, in 1795. He was a farmer, and married Sarah Webster of Gloucester, Mass. He died April 18, 1838, aged 72 years. His wife died Sept. 4, 1853, aged 87 years.

## Children:

- i. JOSHUA. His sons were: Samuel, Dana, Gideon, Charles, Armstrong and Nathan.
- ii. THOMAS,<sup>6</sup> b. 1794.
- iii. SAMUEL, b. in Bristol, Me. Had son, George.
- iv. JANE.
- v. SARAH.
- vi. JEMIMA.
- vii. HANNAH.
- viii. WILLIAM. His sons were: Sylvanus, William, Allen, Alexander.
- ix. MARTHA.
- x. WEBSTER. His sons were: Webster, Armstrong, Joshua, Luke, Winnifred and Reuben.

**NATHANIEL<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE** (Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1772. He married, 1793, Mary M. Davis. He died at





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Mrs. RICHARD GAMAGE



at South Bristol, Maine, January 16, 1840. His wife died March 19, 1838.

Children :

- i. MARY, b. March 20, 1795; m. Benj. Thompson; d. March 17, 1881.
- ii. ELEANOR, b. April 11, 1797; d. Oct. 1, 1816.
- iii. NATHANIEL, b. June 21, 1799; m. Mary Thompson.
- iv. MARTHA, b. Jan. 31, 1801; m. James Thompson; d. 1868.
- v. BENJAMIN, b. Feb. 7, 1803; m. Mary Tarr. He died May 1, 1877.
- vi. RUTH, b. Oct. 9, 1806.
- vii. DANIEL, b. Jan. 20, 1809; m., 1835, Eliza McCorrison. He died April 18, 1837.
- viii. OLIVER, b. July 2, 1811; m. Angeline Tarr.
- ix. LUCRETIA, b. Oct. 10, 1814; m. Samuel Tarr. She died August 23, 1884.
- x. DAVIS, b. Nov. 21, 1818; m., 1843, Margaret Gamage. He died Sept. 20, 1852.

CAPT. RICHARD<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Cambridge, Mass., December 11, 1780. He settled in the village of Woodville, town of Hopkinton, Mass. He was a cabinet-maker by trade; a man of a refined, loveable, Christian character. He was for many years a Captain of Militia, and filled offices of trust in his town, such as Selectman, Overseer of the Poor, etc. His death was caused by a fall in his barn, May 26, 1848. He was buried at Woodville, Mass. He married in Sherburn, Mass., July 26, 1801, Betsey, daughter of John and Hannah (Coolidge) Phipps.—For ancestry, see Appendix. Mrs. Richard Gamage died May 28, 1857, and was buried at Woodville, Mass.

Children :

- i. MARTHA, b. 1803; d. same year.
- ii. MARTHA, daughter of Capt. Richard,<sup>5</sup> b. Jan. 1, 1804; m. Nov. 19, 1826, John Smith of Hopkinton. Children :
  1. John Murray, b. Sept. 7, 1827, who married Catherine Stevens, June 22, 1845.
 

Children :

    1. George Sydney, d. young.
    2. Georgianna, who m., 1873, John E. Courier of Unity, N. H.
    3. Martha Cora, who m. 1878, L. E. Oliver of N. H.
  2. Thomas, b. Oct. 25, 1835 m. Charlotte Kendall.
  3. Richard, b. Jan. 28, 1839; m. Nov. 26, 1859, Martha Bixby. He d. Dec. 27, 1888, at Auburn, N. Y.



## Children:

1. Edna, b. March 23, 1861.
2. Edgar Murray, b. April 11, 1863; m. April 12, 1888, Lovelle J. Wright, whose children were: Pearl A., b. July 6, 1889; and Gay Lamb, b. May 2, 1892.
3. Ellen Maria, b. Feb. 28, 1865; m. Nov. 8, 1885, Dr. George Allen. Their children were: George E., b. Jan. 1, 1888; and Mildred, b. Feb. 7, 1891.
4. Mary Olive, b. March 16, 1867.
5. Gertrude L., b. Sept. 20, 1870.
6. Maud A., b. Nov. 12, 1872.
7. Chester C., b. Aug. 12, 1876.

Mr. Smith d. Jan. 20, 1876; and his wife d. Feb. 5, 1875. They were both buried at Woodville, Mass.

- iii. IZANNAH, b. June 7, 1808; m. March 11, 1834, Lowell Belnap. Children: 1. Henry, b. Dec. 4, 1837; d. 1838. 2. Sarah, b. Sept. 2, 1841; m. April 18, 1865, George Emery of Milford, Mass. 3. Susan, b. June 2, 1844; m. Nov. 1, 1870, Winslow Clafin of Hopkinton, Mass. Mr. Belnap d. May 3, 1872; and his wife d. Jan. 9, 1889.
- iv. HANNAH, b. July 24, 1810; m. April 9, 1829, William H. Morse of Milford; later, of Hopkinton. Children: 1. Henry, b. May 25, 1830; d. 1831. 2. Charles Henry, b. Aug. 10, 1832. 3. Betsey, b. March 16, 1836; m. Abner Adams. 4. Frank W., b. April 8, 1852; m. June 22, 1874, Emily Dutton; d. 1879. He m. (2) Abbie Farrington. Mr. Morse d. Nov. 22, 1889. His wife d. Dec. 15, 1890.
- v. AMORY,<sup>6</sup> b. July 20 1812.
- vi. JOSEPH,<sup>6</sup> b. June 24, 1814.
- vii. RICHARD,<sup>6</sup> b. Nov. 11, 1817; m. Elizabeth Bridges. He d. Jan. 15, 1898.
- viii. BETSEY, b. Jan. 1, 1820; m. April 3, 1838, Alvah Ormes of Milford, Mass. Children: 1. Ellen M., b. Dec. 29, 1839; d. 1850. 2. Sarah, b. Dec. 26, 1842. 3. Alvah, b. Oct. 15, 1845; d. July 2, 1862. Mr. Ormes d. March 13, 1846. His wife m. (2) Emerson Haven of Milford, Mass.
- ix. ANN, b. Feb. 9, 1822; m. July 30, 1844, Harvey Newton of Westboro. No children. She d. March 22, 1893.
- x. MARY, b. Jan. 3, 1827; m. Dec. 12, 1859, George Howard of Boston, Mass. No children.

AMORY<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Cambridge, Mass., May 30, 1784. He settled in New York City, where he was prominent in Sabbath School work, then in its infancy. He was an influential member of Society. Later



in life, he retired to Milford, N. J., where he had long had a summer home, and where he died, May 13, 1865. He married, Sept. 9, 1812, Hannah, daughter of Henry Ten Broeck, of an Early Dutch Family. She died in New York City, Sept. 5, 1822. Her lovely and marked Christian character, caused an obituary tract, commanding her virtues, to be published by the religious society of which she was a member. She was buried at Kipps' Bay, where her father resided, and where her young children were already laid away.

Children :

- i. SARAH MATILDA, b. Feb. 1, 1817; d. Sept. 9, 1817.
- ii. JANE E., b. Sept. 11, 1814; d. March 12, 1879; buried at Milford, N. J.
- iii. HENRY TEN BROECK, b. Aug. 3, 1818; d. in New York City, Feb. 12, 1892. Unmarried. Buried at Milford, N. J.
- iv. JAMES STRINGHAM, b. Oct. 15, 1820. Died in infancy.

SAMUEL<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE (Samuel,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Cambridge, Mass., April 16, 1782. He settled, first, in Elizabeth, N. J.; moved, later, to Batavia, Ohio. He died April 24, 1824, in Batavia, Ohio. His wife died at the same place, June 4, 1822. He married, May 22, 1808, Julia Tunis, b. Sept. 14, 1783.

Children :

- i. ELISHA,<sup>6</sup> b. April 2, 1810.
- ii. JOHN AMORY, b. Jan. 29, 1814; d. Sept. 2, 1815.
- iii. JULIA, b. Nov. 17, 1815; d. 1830.
- iv. SARAH M., b. March 7, 1818; m. Dec. 1, 1836, John McDowell Burrows of Cincinnati, Ohio, b. N. Y. City, May 14, 1814. He settled first in Hamilton, Ohio. In the Spring of 1839 he moved to Davenport, Iowa, where he and his family were prominent in social and business life for fifty years. He died at Rock Island, Ill., April 11, 1889. His wife died in Davenport, Jan. 18, 1876.

Children, born in Davenport :

1. Julia, b. Sept. 28, 1837; d. May 11, 1875.
2. Elisha Gamage, b. July 12, 1840; m. Oct. 12, 1870, Joanna H. Green of Plainfield, N. J. He d. Sept. 2, 1879.

Children, born in Davenport, Iowa :

1. Park Tunis Burrows, b. Aug. 8, 1871.
2. Bessie Burrows, b. June 26, 1873.
3. Anna, b. June 26, 1844; d. 1845.
4. John Amory, b. Oct. 24, 1846; d. Oct. 4, 1857.
5. Egbert S., b. Feb. 10, 1848; d. 1849.
6. James W., b. Aug. 8, 1851; d. 1857.



7. Sarah B., b. Nov. 5, 1852; d. Sept., 1853.
8. Charles, b. March 17, 1856; d. Aug., 1856.
9. William H., b. July 4, 1859; d. April, 1870.

v. AMORY, b. Nov. 7, 1820; d. 1821.

CALEB STRONG<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE (Joshua,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was married to Eunice Gordon in Fryburg, Me., where he settled.

Children :

- i. WILLIAM, b. May 10, 1832.
- ii. MARY BEATON, b. July 21, 1834; d. March 19, 1851.
- iii. CHARLES ABBOTT, b. March 15, 1837; d. in Charlestown, S. C.
- iv. MARTHA, b. Nov. 11, 1839; m. James Chandler.

Children, born in Fryburg, Me:

1. Katherine W., who m. Dr. J. D. Bradley of Cornish, Me.
2. Georgianna B., who m. George B. Dennet of Bridgeton, Me.  
Mr. Chandler moved to Wisconsin, where were born:
3. James.
4. Charles D., who m. Emma N. Wiley of Fryburg, Me.

Their children were: Mary Gamage, Chandler and others.

v. JOHN, b. Jan. 25, 1843; d. Dec. 2, 1850.  
Mrs. Caleb Strong Gamage d. Oct. 1, 1849. He m. (2) Martha Dearborn Kimball.

vi. FRANKLIN, b. Oct. 11, 1852; d. Dec. 28, 1854.

vii. SUSAN EMELINE, b. Dec. 30, 1855; m. March, 1884, Page Howard of Bridgeton, Me. She d Oct. 2, 1899.

Children:

1. Eva May, b. Dec. 9, 1884.
2. Arthur, b. 1886; d. 1889.
3. Lawrence, b., March 27, 1895.

GILBERT ASH<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE (Dr. John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in New York City. He became a resident of Boston, Mass., where he edited the "Harvard Gazette." He moved, later, to Auburn, N. Y., where he was editor of the "Cayuga Republican," in which place he died. He married his cousin Lucy, daughter of Dr. William Gamage of Cambridge, Mass.

Children :

- i. LUCY, d. young.
- ii. ADELAIDE, m. George Cooper of New York City.  
Children were : George, Charles, Adelaide, Josephine, Lucy, Frank.
- iii. GILBERT, born a mute.
- iv. CHARLES W. Professor in Deaf and Dumb Institute, New York City.
- v. CARRIE, d. young.
- vi. HARRIET, born mute.



JOHN WATSON<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE (Dr. John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in New York City. He married Hannah Gurney, and moved to Boston, Mass.

Children :

- i. JOHN. He was killed by a train at Wakefield, Mass. Unmarried.
- ii. GEORGE, b. Feb. 10, 1832; d. at Wakefield, Mass., Dec. 17, 1897. He left a widow and two daughters—Carrie and May.
- iii. ANN MARIA, who m. Frank Kemlo of Boston, Mass.

JOSHUA<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE (Joshua,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Cambridge, Mass., May 31, 1778. Early in life he settled at Fryburg, Me. Before 1831 he moved to Sweden, Me., where he died, Nov. 11, 1855. He married, at Fryburg, Me., August 23, 1802, Priscilla Farrington, who was born Dec. 24, 1786. She died in Sweden, Me.

Children :

- i. SUSANNA, b. Dec. 12, 1803; d. Oct. 18, 1824.
- ii. MEHITABLE FRYE, b. Feb. 12, 1805; d. Oct. 19, 1823.
- iii. ABIGAIL, b. March 29, 1807; d. May 30, 1857.
- iv. SAMUEL, b. March 16, 1809; d. Oct. 4, 1823.
- v. CALVIN,<sup>6</sup> b. June 20, 1811.
- vi. MARY JEWETT, b. Dec. 30, 1813; m. Nov. 26, 1834, Noyes Knight Farrington. She d. July 25, 1865.

Children:

1. Seth Chase, b. Dec. 2, 1835.
2. Josephus C., b. April 21, 1838; d. April 23, 1879.
3. Martha, b. Dec. 24, 1839; d. March 24, 1864.
4. Susanna, b. Dec. 5, 1842; m. Dec. 30, 1868, Samuel Gordon.
5. EMILY, b. Oct. 23, 1844; m. June 3, 1880, Rev. Banan Stone.

Son: Clarence N. Stone, b. July 24, 1883.

- vii. NELSON,<sup>6</sup> b. Feb. 12, 1816.
- viii. AMELIA, b. Oct. 17, 1821; m. Nov. 2, 1856, George W. Hazen of Lowell, Me.

Sons:

1. Enoch P., b. Sept. 9, 1857; m. Fannie Stewart of Bridge-ton, Me.
2. HERBERT.
- ix. ANNE, b. in Sweden, Me., Feb. 22, 1831; d. July 4, 1875.

CHARLES MCKNIGHT<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE (Dr. John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was a merchant in New York City. He afterwards moved to Charleston, S. C., where he died of pneumonia, induced by a





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severe cold. He married, at St. George's Chapel, New York City, Mary E. Sewell. She died in Charleston, S. C.

Their only child was

i. ELIZA, who m. Edward L. Cooper of N. Y. City.

Their children were:

1. Julia, m. J. T. Neil of Earling, London, England.
2. Rosalie, m. Charles A. Miller.
3. Sara, m. S. Alaine Murden of Mt. Claire, Florida.
4. Eliza.
5. Marian Bayard.
6. Edward Bayard.

MARY GAMAGE (Daughter of Joshua,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) who married, Feb. 1, 1801, Timothy Evans of Sweden, Me.

Children :

i. POLLY, m. John Hamblin of Sweden, Me.

Children:

1. Waldo.
2. Mary, m. Samuel Plummer.
3. Joshua.

John Hamblin m. (2) Caroline Evans, sister of his first wife. Children by Caroline:

4. Olive.
5. Anna.
6. Eliza.

ii. JAMES, m. Caroline Eastman.

iii. ABIGAIL, m. Daniel Knight of Fryburg, Me.

Children: Eliza, Lyman, James.

iv. SARAH ANN, m. John Woodman of Sweden, Me.

Children: Sarah, Rebecca, Caroline.

v. CAROLINE, m. John Hamblin for second wife.

vi. DAVID. Physician of Garland, Me.

CAROLINE MARIA<sup>5</sup> GAMAGE (Daughter of Dr. John,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in New York City, October 3, 1815. She married, at Port Chester, N. Y., Aug. 9, 1835, John Falconer Fisher of New York City. She died October 29, 1864, at Peru, Ill., aged 49 years. He died Sept. 1, 1898, at Capenville, Conn., aged 85 years.

Children :

i. ELIJAH J., b. Oct. 9, 1836; m. (1) Carrie Thurston; m. (2) Eliza Thrope.

ii. CAROLINE MARIE, b. Nov. 4, 1839; m. at Buffalo, N. Y., March 2, 1857, Henry Ashley Bogardus of N. Y. City.

Children:





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1. Caroline Louise, b. May 24, 1858.
2. May, b. May 7, 1861.
3. Henry Ashley, b. Feb. 1, 1881.

iii. JARED L., b. Oct. 10, 1840; m. Sept. 1, 1863, Ellen M. Kelley of La Salle, Ill.

iv. THOMAS, b. July 31, 1842; d. young.

v. LOUISE, b. Sept. 7, 1845; m. at La Salle, Ill., Nov. 22, 1866, Robert B. McLain of Wheeling, Va.

Children:

1. Louise Elinor, b. Sept. 12, 1867; m. Nov. 4, 1890, Charles E. Wood.

Children:

1. Clarence, b. Dec. 1, 1891.
2. Elinor, b. March 24, 1896.
3. Louise, b. April, 1897.
4. Robert, b. 1900.

2. Henry Fisher, b. Nov. 26, 1869; m. Aug. 12, 1897, Sarah McCollock.

Children:

1. Henry, b. Sept. 1, 1898
2. Jessie, b. April 8, 1900.
3. Robert, b. May 16, 1903.
3. Robert Baird, b. Aug. 16, 1877.

vi. THOMAS, b. May 31, 1848; m. 1869, Jennie Odell.

#### SIXTH GENERATION.

AMORY<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE (Richard,<sup>5</sup> Samuel<sup>4</sup>) was born at Hopkinton, Mass., July 20, 1812. He settled in Boston in 1833. In early manhood he was a school teacher, but the love of music, combined with a taste for mechanics, induced him to enter the field of manufacture. He became one of the early Piano Forte Makers of Boston, Mass. In 1849, during the gold excitement, he visited California, remaining there three years. He married, in Boston, Nov. 1, 1835, Nancy, daughter of Capt. William Lyman (a son of Ezekiel and Elizabeth Bliss Lyman. He was born at Canterbury, Conn., about 1781, whose family moved to Royalston, Vt., 1782. When a young man, he joined his brother in Canada; but, enamored with a sea life, he became a sailor—later, a mate; and, finally, captain of a trading ship. He married, at Frankfort, Me., Sept. 22, 1814, Huldah, widow of Henry Jenks, and daughter of James and Susanna (Lampher) Colson. Their home was, first, at Frankfort, where three children were born; later, at Castine; and, finally, at



Bath, Me. Children were: Nancy, b. Sept. 15, 1815; Elizabeth, b. 1818; died young; Lydia, died young; John, b. 1822; William Osborn, b. June 14, 1825. Capt. Lyman was lost at sea, with his ship, in 1826. His wife died at Bath, Me., March 31, 1826, aged 36 years. He was a descendant of Sir Richard Lyman.—See Lyman Genealogy.) Mr. Amory Gamage died suddenly of pneumonia, April 16, 1882, and was buried at Woodville, Mass. Mrs. Gamage married (2) Levi Hardy of Oxford, Mass. She died August 19, 1895, aged 79, and was buried in East Cemetery, Webster, Mass., in the lot of her son-in-law, E. P. Morton. Her graceful presence, loving and sympathetic nature, endeared her to a large circle of friends, who sincerely mourned her loss. After but a few days of illness, her bright, active spirit fled to its Heavenly home.

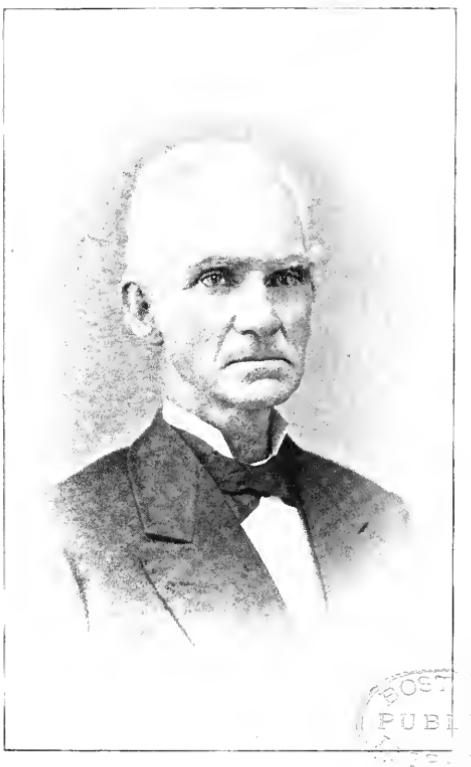
Children of Amory and Nancy Gamage were:

- i. MARY AUGUSTA, b. Aug. 4, 1836; d. Aug. 25, 1836.
- ii. WILLIAM AMORY, b. Sept., 1837; d. July 30, 1843.
- iii. ARABELLA LYMAN, b. Nov. 21, 1839; m. in Boston, Sept. 6, 1866, Elias P. Morton, son of Cornelius and ~~Adelaide~~ Partridge Morton <sup>one</sup> of Augusta, Me.

Their children were:

1. Maud, b. Jan. 4, 1872; d. Aug. 14, 1873.
2. Frank Lyman, b. April 4, 1874; d. Aug. 11, 1875.
3. Charles Edward, b. Aug. 6, 1877; d. May 9, 1905. He was a graduate of Phillips, Exeter, N. H., a student of "Physicians and Surgeons" College, N. Y. He died of blood poison, the result of an imperfect operation performed for appendicitis ten years before, and discovered too late to save life. He was a young man eminently endowed with every qualification to ensure a long, useful and honorable life; of a remarkably strong constitution, as shown in the long endurance of his trouble. He was deeply interested in the study of his chosen profession, and possessed a lofty, honorable and religious mind. A bereaved mother pays this tribute to the memory of a noble, loving son.
- iv. THEODORE,<sup>7</sup> b. April 29, 1842.
- v. WILLIAM, b. July, 1844; d. Jan. 27, 1845.
- vi. OLONZO AMORY, b. April 29, 1847. A physician. He commenced the manufacture of pianos in Boston in 1872, but discontinued the business in 1883. He began the practice of pharmacy in 1885. He graduated from the Vermont Medical University in 1893. Owing to ill health, he gave up the practice of medicine in 1895, but continued pharmacy at West Medford, Mass.





JOSEPH GAMAGE



JOSEPH<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE (Capt. Richard,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Woodville Village, Hopkinton, Mass., June 24, 1814. He was, during his life, a boot and shoe manufacturer, and was highly respected by all his townspeople and those with whom he was brought into business relations. He was a loving husband and father. He died Oct. 12, 1893, and was buried at Woodville. He married, July 7, 1836, Mary Taft of Woodville. She died December 23, 1893. She was a faithful, frugal helpmate, devoted to the welfare of her family, and a kind neighbor.

Children :

- i. HENRY RICHARD,<sup>7</sup> b. Nov. 1, 1838.
- ii. IZANNAH, b. Nov. 3, 1840; m. Oct. 11, 1860, George F., son of William Adams of Hopkinton, Mass.

Their children were :

- 1. Joseph, b. March 12, 1863.
- 2. Ellen, b. April 25, 1865; m. B. A. Newton of Westboro, Mass.
- 3. William, b. May 14, 1873; d. 1878.

iii. ANN, b. Feb. 14, 1843; m. Feb. 17, 1863, Luther W. Haven.

Children:

- 1. Lillian, b. March 17, 1864.
- 2. Harry, b. Oct., 1865.
- 3. Effie, d. young.

Mrs. Ann Haven d. Feb. 1, 1905.

iv. MARY, b. May 4, 1845; m. Nov. 13, 1861, John Henry, son of John Adams of Littleton, Mass. She d. June 17, 1905.

Children:

- 1. Jessie, b. Dec. 25, 1863; m. F. T. Burns of Marlboro, Mass.
- 2. Charles L., b. July 1, 1866; d. March 3, 1882.
- 3. Leroy E., b. July, 1869.
- 4. George Otis, b. Dec., 1872.
- 5. Henry, b. Aug. 7, 1883.

v. ADDIE, b. July 5, 1847; m. Dec. 31, 1865, James F. Gleason of Marlboro, Mass.

Children:

- 1. James Henry, b. July 8, 1867; m. July 19, 1887, Jennie S. daughter of Lewis A. and Jennie (Smith) Howe. Mr. Howe was for many years a boot and shoe manufacturer of Marlboro.
- 2. Addie Josephine, b. Feb. 6, 1870; m. Dec. 6, 1895, Alfred Lear, son of Horace Hastings, publisher, of Lynn, Mass.
- 3. Lillian M., b. Nov. 13, 1879; d. 1882.

vi. JOSEPHINE, b. June 13, 1849; m. Oct. 5, 1870, Leroy Coolidge of Woodville, Mass. No children. Mrs. Coolidge d. May 8, 1894, and Mr. Coolidge d. Feb. 13, 1903.

1. Thomas Webster, and Hannah Stinson of  
Deer Isle Me., sons, Llewellyn and Albion P.  
Author.

- vii. ELLEN, b. Nov. 24, 1850; d. young.
- viii. WILBUR S., b. June 24, 1856; m. Nov. 6, 1879, Lizzie Warren. He is a carriage manufacturer and proprietor of Reservoir House. Woodville, Mass. No children.

CAPT. THOMAS<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE (Joshua,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> Joshua,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>) was born in Gloucester, Mass., January 20, 1794. He owned and sailed his ship in the coast trade and in the fisheries. He was known as "Skipper Tom." His sons were all interested in ships and ship building, or designing ships and steamers. A. & M. Gamage, ship and steamboat builders, were his sons. He settled in Bristol, Me., where he married, December 31, 1818, Watty Thompson, born October 31, 1798. He died Sept. 27, 1877; and his wife died Nov. 8, 1861.

Children :

- i. THOMAS WEBSTER, b. Aug. 27, 1819; d. Dec., 1904.
- ii. MARGARET, b. Oct. 7, 1821.
- iii. HANNAH, b. Jan. 23, 1824; d. Nov. 25, 1876.
- iv. ASA T., b. Oct. 1, 1827; d. July 26, 1903.
- v. ALBION O., b. Nov. 5, 1830; m. Dec. 22, 1853, Amanda Otis. Had sons: Levi and Julius.
- vi. MENZIES R., b. April 30, 1833; m. Jan. 31, 1858, Clarinda Farrar.
- vii. LIBBEUS A., b. May 2, 1836; m. Nov. 17, 1860, Mary Otis.
- viii. ELLEN, b. Oct. 6, 1839.
- ix. NELSON W.

DANIEL<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE (Nathaniel,<sup>5</sup> Joshua<sup>4</sup>) was born in Bristol, Maine, in 1809. He married Eliza McCorrison of Montville, Maine. He had one daughter, Lucretia, born in 1836, who married Edward Berry of Salem, Mass. Mr. Daniel Gamage died April 8, 1837, aged 28 years.

OLIVER<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE (Nathaniel,<sup>5</sup> Joshua<sup>4</sup>) married Angeline Tarr.

Children :

- i. OLIVER.
- ii. ADELINE.
- iii. ABRAHAM.
- iv. DANIEL.
- v. MARTHA.
- vi. CHARLES.
- vii. JAMES.
- viii. ALFRED.

NATHANIEL<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE (Nathaniel,<sup>5</sup> Joshua<sup>4</sup>) was a sea captain. He married Mary Thompson of Bristol, Me.



## Children:

- i. SUSAN.
- ii. NATHANIEL.
- iii. EUSTICE.
- iv. JOSEPH.
- v. MARY.
- vi. CLARENCE.

DAVIS<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE (Nathaniel,<sup>5</sup> Joshua<sup>4</sup>) was born 1819, in ~~Southport~~, <sup>Bristol</sup> Me. He married, 1842, Margaret, daughter of Thomas Gamage, son of Joshua. She was his cousin, and born Oct. 18, 1822. Mr. Gamage died in 1852, of Southern fever, aged 33 years.

## Children:

- i. ALICE, b. Aug. 4, 1844; m. Robert Pierce of Southport, Me. She lives in a house a part of which is one hundred years old, and where her ancestors lived three generations.
- ii. EDWARD DAVIS, b. April 12, 1846.
- iii. OREN, b. May 6, 1851.

CALVIN<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE (Joshua,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> William<sup>3</sup>) married, at Burlington, Iowa, July 9, 1843, Clarisa Avery. He died at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, Sept. 5, 1855.

## Children:

- i. WALTER L., b. July 5, 1844.
- ii. EMMA, b. January 6, 1847.
- iii. CLARA, b. April 20, 1850: md. —— Henderson.
- iv. DELLA, b. June 15, 1854.
- v. NELSON, b. Nov. 20, 1861; d. 1900.

ELISHA<sup>6</sup> (Samuel,<sup>5</sup> Samuel<sup>4</sup>) was born April 2, 1810; married, in New York City, 1835, Mary Ann Fulton, who was born 1812. Mr. Gamage moved to Norfolk, Va. He died Aug. 17, 1864. Mrs. Gamage died Sept. 24, 1895.

## Children, born in Norfolk, Va.:

- i. SAMUEL AMORY, b. April 14, 1836; d. 1899. Not married.
- ii. JOHN OSCEOLA,<sup>7</sup> b. June 15, 1838.
- iii. SARAH JANE, b. March 2, 1840; married, 1861, Fred. W. Clark, who was born in Philadelphia, Pa. Had son, Frederick W.
- iv. MARY ANN, b. Oct. 11, 1842; m. 1867, John E. Keeling of Norfolk, Va. Children were: Alice, b. 1870; Edwin, b. 1872; Robert, b. 1874; Armisted, b. 1876; Mary, b. 1880.
- v. JULIA ELIZABETH, b. 1844; m. 1868, William A. Williams. Children: Clarence, b. 1871; William, b. 1872; Mattie, b. 1879. Mrs. Williams died March, 1896.
- vi. CORNELIA, b. 1846.
- vii. CAROLINE BURROWS, b. 1848.





THEODORE GAMAGE, M. D.



NELSON<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE (Joshua,<sup>5</sup> Joshua,<sup>4</sup> William<sup>3</sup>) was born in Fryburg Me., Feb. 12, 1816. He settled in Lovell, Me. He married (1) Susanna Webber of Sweden, Me., Jan., 1840. She died Oct. 10, 1847. He married (2) Abigail Hutchins, Dec. 18, 1848, at Fryburg, Me. Mr. Gamage died at Lovell, Me., March 2, 1894.

Children, by first wife:

- i. BENJAMIN M., b. June 8, 1842; d. March 27, 1844.
- ii. CHARLOTTE HELEN, b. March 1, 1844; m. Gardner Walker of Deering, Me. Had daughter, Catherine, b. Sept. 19, 1875.  
Child, by second wife:
- iii. CAROLINE E., b. April 6, 1861; m. Feb. 13, 1884, George Pitcher of Portland, Me. No children.

#### SEVENTH GENERATION.

DR. THEODORE<sup>7</sup> GAMAGE (Amory,<sup>6</sup> Capt. Richard,<sup>5</sup> Samuel<sup>4</sup>) was born in Boston, April 29, 1842. He served in the War of the Rebellion in Co. H., 12th Mass. Regiment, under Col. Fletcher Webster, to whom he acted as clerk. After the death of his colonel he served as clerk in the commissary and other departments. He was taken prisoner at Gen. Banks' retreat, but, finally, escaped after many hardships and reached the Federal lines. He was a physician in Philadelphia, where he graduated in medicine, and where he died, Nov. 3, 1881. He was buried at Cedar Hill Cemetery. His cheerful disposition, as well as medical skill, brought him many loving friends among his compeers and patients. He married, January 15, 1873, Elizabeth Deifenback of Pittsburg, Pa.

Children:

- i. THEODORE, b. Dec. 15, 1873; d. Jan. 2, 1879.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. July 20, 1875; d. July 24, 1877.
- iii. BERTHA, b. Dec. 19, 1878; m. Geo. Cass of Philadelphia, and had a daughter, Beatrice. She m. (2) William Brittan of Bordentown, New Jersey.
- iv. FRANKLIN WEBSTER,<sup>8</sup> b. Jan. 15, 1880.
- v. ARABELLA T., b. Nov. 4, 1881; d. 1882.  
Mrs. Gamage m. (2) Frederick Robinson of Philadelphia, and had a son, Edward.

HENRY RICHARD<sup>7</sup> GAMAGE (Joseph,<sup>6</sup> Capt. Richard<sup>5</sup>) was born Nov. 1, 1838. He married at Westboro, Mass., July 28, 1858, Abbie Lackie. He was a soldier in the war of the Rebellion, and served in the 26th Massachusetts Regiment of Infantry. He





HENRY GAMAGE

Nelson Womfield 7.

was killed at the Battle of Winchester, September 19, 1864. Although repeated and diligent search was made for his body, it was never found, and it rests under the sod of the battlefield among the unknown dead.

Children:

- i. LOUIS H., b. Jan. 30, 1859.
- ii. FREDERICK L.,<sup>8</sup> b. June 19, 1862

EDWARD DAVIS<sup>7</sup> GAMAGE (Davis,<sup>6</sup> Nathaniel<sup>5</sup>) was born April 12, 1846. He married, 1867, Sarah Thompson of Pemiquid, Me. He was a sailor, and was lost overboard in Southwest Harbor, Mt. Desert, Dec. 22, 1882, aged 42 years.

Children, born in Bristol, Me.:

- i. RUTH, b. Sept. 20, 1869.
- ii. ERNEST, b. June 12, 1871.
- iii. ALICE, b. July 20, 1872; m. 1892, Charles ~~Sister~~ Stinson
- iv. Amy, b. March 20, 1880.
- v. PHYLINE, b. Sept. 1887.
- vi. EDWARD DAVIS, b. July, 1889; d. 1897.

OREN<sup>7</sup> GAMAGE (Davis,<sup>6</sup> Nathaniel<sup>5</sup>) was born May 6, 1851. He married, in Bristol, Me., 1872, Eva Otis.

Children:

- i. EMILY, b. 1876; d. 1902.
- ii. IRVING, b. 1877. Now of Augusta, Me. He m., 1903, Vivia Hall of Rockland, Me.

BENJAMIN<sup>6</sup> GAMAGE, (~~Nathaniel~~, Nathaniel<sup>5</sup>) married Mary Tarr of Bristol, Me. They lived on the old farm for a number of years, until the death of his wife, when he went with his children to Minnesota.

Children:

- i. SAMUEL.
- ii. LUCINDA.
- iii. ALDEN.
- iv. LUCITTA,

NELSON ~~W~~ESTER<sup>7</sup> GAMAGE (Thomas,<sup>6</sup> Joshua<sup>5</sup>) was born July 5, 1843. He married, February 25, 1872, Clara M., daughter of Timothy and Mary Hatch Goudy of Bristol, Me. Mr. Gamage is owner and proprietor of the Summit House, Brambletye Cottage, and Rookery, Hotels at South Bristol, Me., where his son is a real estate agent and surveyor, and also in business with his father.



## Children :

- i. EVERETT, b. July 18, 1873.
- ii. LAURA W., b. Aug. 6, 1874.

JOHN OSCEOLA<sup>7</sup> GAMAGE (Elisha,<sup>6</sup> Samuel, Jr.<sup>5</sup>) was born June 15, 1838, in Norfolk, Va. He married, Oct. 24, 1861, Belle Sara, daughter of Rev. Peter Williams. Their children were:

- i. JOHN W., b. Sept. 12, 1862.
- ii. ALBERT E., b. Oct. 26, 1866.
- iii. MARY BELLE, b. June 8, 1869; d. March 31, 1898.
- iv. NANCY CLAY, b. Nov. 29, 1870.
- v. IDA B., b. Feb. 2, 1873; d. Dec. 2, 1902.
- vi. EDNA S., b. July 1, 1876.

## EIGHTH GENERATION.

PROF. FREDERICK LUTHER<sup>8</sup> GAMAGE (Henry,<sup>7</sup> Joseph,<sup>6</sup> Capt. Richard,<sup>5</sup> Samuel<sup>4</sup>) was born at Woodville, Mass., June 19, 1860. After his father's death, his mother moved to Westboro—her early home—where he graduated from West High School in 1878; from Brown University, with degree of A. B., in 1882; of A. M., in 1885. From Hobart College he received the degree of D. C. L. (Doctor of Civil Laws), in 1898. He is now Head Master of St. Paul's School, Garden City, L. I. He married, September 23, 1886, Isabella, daughter of Capt. Robert and Frances (Flower) Horner.

## Children :

- i. MARGARET AUGUSTA, b. Dec. 27, 1890.
- ii. FREDERICK LUTHER, Jr., b. Jan. 13, 1896.

FRANKLIN WEBSTER<sup>8</sup> GAMAGE (Dr. Theodore,<sup>7</sup> Amory,<sup>6</sup> Capt. Richard,<sup>5</sup> Samuel,<sup>4</sup> William,<sup>3</sup>) was born in Philadelphia, Jan. 15, 1880. He settled in Atlantic City, N. J., where he now resides. He married, April 14, 1903, Lizette, daughter of Carl and Johanna Erhard of Philadelphia, Pa.

## Child :

- i. FRANKLIN, T. E., b. Nov. 3, 1904, at Atlantic City, N. J.



## ANCESTRY OF RICHARD GAMAGE.

MOTHER

MARTHA PRICE

SARAH DRURY married RICHARD RICE.

## MARRIED

ABIGAIL COOK married WILLIAM GAMAGE.

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SAMPLE IMAGE



## ANCESTRY OF BETSEY PHIPS.

MOTHER.  
HANNAH COOLIDGE

MARRIED FATHER. JOHN PHIPS.

ELIZABETH FROST married JOSEPH COOLIDGE.

SARAH LEARNED married JEDIDIAH PHIPS.

ELIZABETH FROST married JOSEPH COOLIDGE.								SARAH LEARNED married JEDIDIAH PHIPS.							
HANNAH ESTABROOK married JOSEPH FROST.		HANNAH MORSE married ISAAC COOLIDGE.		SARAH LELAND married EDWARD LEARNED.		HANNAH BULLENS married JOHN PHIPS.		James Phips m. Wife Unknown.		John Bullens, Unknown.		John Phips.			Phips.
Hannah Joseph m. Leavitt Estabrook	Elizabeth n. Miller	Samuel Frost m. Babcock	Joseph Miller	Hannah m. Frost	John m. Babcock	John m. Maddock	John m. Maddock	Samuel Bullens m. Mary Morse.	Hannah m. Metcalf	Elisha m. Bullens	Unknown	Bullens.	Morse.		
								John Metcalf m. Mary Chickering.	John Metcalf	Samuel Morse m. Elizabeth ——		Metcalf.			
								Isaac Learned m. Mary Stearns.	Sarah Learned	Isaac Stearns m. Mary ——		Chickering.	Fiske.		
								Edward Wright m. Hannah Upson.	Henry Wright	Thomas Wright m. Dorothy ——		Learned.			
								Hopestill Leland m. Abigail Hill.	Benoni Leland	Henry Leland m. Margaret Babcock.		Leland.	Babcock.		
								Jeremiah Morse m. Elizabeth	Morse	John Hill m. Hannah Holbrook.		Hill.	Holbrook.		
										Samuel Morse m. Elizabeth ——		Morse.			
												Coolidge.			
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												Wellington.	Palgrave.		
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## APPENDIX.



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### KNIGHT.

1. **ALEXANDER KNIGHT** came from Chelmsford, England, (where he had been an innkeeper) to Ipswich, New England, in 1635. He purchased land in 1636, and was a Commoner in 1641. By his first wife, whose name is unknown, he had a son, Nathaniel, burned to death, on whom an inquest was held, April 27, 1648. He married (2) Hannah \_\_\_\_\_.  
Children: Nathaniel, born Oct., 1657; Hannah, who married Isaac Perkins of Ipswich; Sarah, Mary. All mentioned in his will.

His will was proved March 29, 1664, in which he gives his house, house lot and planting land to his wife for her use till her death. The house, with thirty-two acres of land, were appraised at £137 18s. 11d. His wife and William Inglish of Boston were executors. She married (2) Alexander Whitman of Ipswich.

2. **MARY.** She married, first, about 1675, John Gamage of Ipswich; and, second, Henry Osborn. Her will was made Sept. 10, 1734, and can be found in the Ipswich Records of Deeds, at Court House, Salem, Mass.

### COOK.

1. **GREGORY COOK** came from Cambridgeshire, England, to Watertown, New England, in 1641. He settled in the part called Cambridgeville—later, in 1678, Newton. His farm of one hundred and twenty acres extended from Angier Corner to Watertown Bridge. He was owner of the old “Watertown Grist Mill,” built before 1634, which was in operation as late as 1896. He was also a shoemaker. His house was occupied by descendants until 1823. His first wife was Mary Constable,



who was the mother of all his children. She died August 17, 1681. He married (2) Susanna Goodwin. He died January 1, 1690-1.

2. STEPHEN COOK was born in Watertown in 1647. He was a miller in the same mill with his father, and Selectman of Newton in 1697, 1698 and 1716. He married, November 19, 1679, Rebecca, daughter of Thomas and Mary Flagg, who came from East Flagg, Northamptonshire, England, in 1637. She died June 20, 1721. He died in 1738, aged 91 years.

Children: Mary, Stephen, Isaac, John, Jane, Samuel, Peter, Daniel.

3. STEPHEN COOK, Jr., was born January 9, 1683. He was a miller in the same mill with his father. He married Hannah Fuller. He died in 1761, and his wife died in 1772.

Children: Mary, Hannah, Rebecca, James, Peter, Susanna, Abigail, John.

4. ABIGAIL COOK was born August 2, 1721. She married, in Boston, August 1, 1746, William Gamage of Watertown.

#### FULLER.

1. JOHN FULLER was born 1611. He embarked on the Abigail, at London, for New England, with John Winthrop, Jr., in 1635. He purchased land in 1644 on Charles River, in the bend, opposite Waltham Plains, which was for a long time called "Fuller's Farm." It was a very large tract of land. He was both a farmer and malster. His wife was Elizabeth ——, He died Feb. 7, 1698, aged 87; and his wife died Aug. 23, 1723, aged about 98 years.

Children: John, born 1645; married Hannah Morton. Jonathan, born 1648; died aged 74. Elizabeth, who died in 1685. Joseph, born 1652; died aged 88. Jeremiah, born 1658; died aged 85. Joshua, born 1654; died aged 98. Bethia, Isaac, born 1665; died aged 91.

2. JOSHUA FULLER was born April 2, 1654. He married Elizabeth Ward.

Children: Elizabeth, who married Isaac Shepard. Hannah, Experience, Mercy.



His wife died Sept. 6, 1691, aged 31 years. By his second wife (unknown) he had the following

Children: Abigail, Sarah, who married Richard Park, Jr., 1717; Ruth.

He married (3), when in his eighty-eighth year—1742—Mary Dana, aged 75. He died June 27, 1752, aged 98 years.

3. **HANNAH FULLER** was born July 8, 1682. She married Stephen Cook of Watertown.

#### WARD.

1. **WILLIAM WARD** was already married to his second wife, Elizabeth, when he came to New England, in 1639. His first wife was Elinor. He settled, first, in Sudbury, where he was made freeman in 1643. He was Representative in 1644, and Chairman of Committee for several years. He moved to Marlboro when that town was set off in 1666, and became Deacon as soon as the First Church was formed. He was a great sufferer during the King Philip War, having a son killed, his house burned, cattle destroyed, and lands injured. He took a great interest in the welfare of the town and fulfilled many important trusts. He died August 10, 1687, aged 90 years; and his wife died December 9, 1700, aged 86 years.

Children by first wife were: John, Joanna, Obadiah.

Children by Elizabeth were: Richard, Hannah, William, Samuel, Elizabeth, Increase, Hopestill, Mary, Eliazer, Bertha.

2. **JOHN WARD** was born about 1626. He was a property owner in Sudbury. He was a freeman in 1649, and Representative for nine years at the "Great and General Court." His house was used as a garrison house in the King Philip's War. He married, in 1649, Hannah Jackson. He died in Newton, July 8, 1708, aged 82 years. His wife died at the same place, April 24, 1704, aged 74 years.

Children: John, died young; Rebecca, John, Elizabeth, Deborah, Richard, Mercy, Edward, Eliazer, Jonathan, Joseph.

3. **ELIZABETH WARD** was born June 18, 1660. She married June 7, 1679, Joshua Fuller.



## JACKSON.

1. **EDWARD JACKSON**, son of Christopher Jackson, London, England, was born in London in 1602, and baptized at Stepney, Feb. 3, 1604-5. He was of Whitechapel Parish. Savage gives a lengthy account of his public life and contemporaries in London. He purchased a beautiful farm of five hundred acres from Gov. Bradstreet for £140, in 1646, in what is now Newton. He brought to New England his wife Frances and eight children. Those registered at Whitechapel are: Isaac, 1631; Margaret, Hannah, Mary, Rebecca, Caleb, and Joseph. Born on the passage: Jonathan and Caleb, twins. He married (2) March 14, 1649, Elizabeth Newgate.
2. **HANNAH JACKSON**, born in London, May 1, 1634. She married 1650, John Ward of Sudbury.

## COOLIDGE.

1. **JOHN COOLIDGE** was baptized Sept. 16, 1604, at Cottenham, where his grandfather, Simeon Coolidge, was buried, 1590. He married Mary ——, born 1603. They came to New England about 1630 and settled in Watertown. He had nine lots of land granted him in 1636, and was made freeman in the same year. The frame of his house was brought from England, and the house was still standing in 1887. He was Representative in 1658, and Selectman from 1638 to 1642. He was always called Hon. John Coolidge. He died May 7, 1691; and his wife died Aug. 22, 1691. They were both buried in the old graveyard near Mt. Auburn. Mr. Coolidge was a direct descendant, seventh in line, from Thomas Colynge of Arrington, Cambridgeshire, England, who was living in 1485, and whose son, John, changed the spelling of the name to Coolidge.

Children: John, Elizabeth, Mary, Stephen, Simeon, Obadiah, Nathaniel, Jonathan.

2. **JOHN COOLIDGE** took the oath of fidelity in 1653. He was a Sergeant in King Phillip's War, 1666, and was designated "Ensign John Coolidge." He was Selectman in 1684-1686 to 1690. He married, Nov. 14, 1655, Hannah Livermore.

Children: Hannah, Mary, Sarah, John, Jonathan, John, Grace, Richard, Abigail, Elizabeth, died young; Elizabeth, Daniel, Sarah, Mary.



His wife died Dec. 23, 1678. He married (2) Sept. 16, 1679, Mary (Wellington) Maddock, widow. They had Mary, who married Daniel Livermore.

3. JOHN COOLIDGE was born in Watertown, Feb. 19, 1662. He was a carpenter by trade. He served in King Philip's War, and was rated for Indian title in 1686. He moved to Sherburn in 1685, where he took or bought lands in 1696, and where he was Selectman ten years and Town Clerk five years. He married, Sept. 13, 1679, Mary, daughter of Henry and Mary (Wellington) Maddock. He died Jan. 18, 1713-4, aged 51 years 11 months. His wife drew lands in Douglas, Mass., in 1715. She died Sept. 13, 1724.

Children: Isaac, Daniel, John, Hannah, Sarah, James, Mary, Peter, Amos.

4. ISAAC COOLIDGE was born April 21, 1685. He was Selectman five years; Representative, five years; Justice of Peace and Major of Militia. He married Hannah Morse (See published Genealogy) April 26, 1710. He died June 2, 1761.

Children: Hannah, Lucy, John, Grace, Joseph, Isaac.

5. JOSEPH COOLIDGE, was born April 22, 1726. He married, Jan. 26, 1746, Elizabeth Frost.

Children: Joseph, Grace, James, Daniel, Grace, Capt. Joel, Hannah, Abraham, Sarah, Asher.

6. HANNAH COOLIDGE was born Nov. 18, 1761. She married John Phipps of Sherburn, Aug. 2, 1781.

## LIVERMORE.

1. PETER LIVERMORE of Little Thurloe, County Suffolk, England, married, June 13, 1594, Marabelle Wysback. He was buried Nov. 15, 1611. His wife died July 12, 1612.

Children: Peter, baptized Nov. 17, 1594; Nicholas, 1596; Anne, 1599; John, Sept. 30, 1604; Elizabeth, 1608; Marabelle, July 12, 1612.

2. JOHN LIVERMORE was born Sept. 30, 1604. He embarked at Ipswich, England, April 1634, on board the Francis, for New England; settled at Watertown, Mass., and was made freeman May 6, 1635. He was a potter by trade, and "a highly



respected citizen." He was made Selectman repeatedly. His wife was Grace \_\_\_\_\_. In his will, made April 14, 1684, and proved June 16, 1684, he mentions his wife Grace, married in England, and three children of John Coolidge, his daughter's husband. His wife's will was proved June 19, 1691.

Children: Hannah, Elizabeth, Sarah, John, Nathaniel, Samuel, Daniel, Edmund, Martha.

3. HANNAH LIVERMORE was born 1633; married, Nov. 14, 1655, John Coolidge<sup>2</sup> of Cambridge. She died Dec. 23, 1678.

#### FROST.

1. "ELDER" EDMUND FROST, son of John Frost, "Elder," of Ipswich, Essex County, England, was born in 1600 or 1610 (record blurred). He came to New England in the ship "Great Hope," 1635, and settled in Cambridge. His wife was Tamazine. She died 1650.

Children: John, b. in Ipswich, England, 1635; Thomas, b. 1637; Samuel, Joseph, James, Mary, Ephraim.

He married (2) Mary, and had daughter Sarah, b. 1653. He married (3) Reanna, widow of Robert Daniels. His will mentions all his children. He left a bequest to the "New College" (Harvard), and also a bequest to George Alcock, a student. He died July 12, 1672.

2. Dr. SAMUEL, b. Feb. 12, 1638. He married, October 12, 1663, Mary Cole. She died before 1670.

Children: Samuel, Isaac, Edmund.

He moved to Billerica about 1670, where he married Elizabeth, daughter of Rev. John Miller. He died in Billerica, Jan. 7, 1708.

Children: Elizabeth, John, Joseph, Benjamin, Jonathan, David, Edmund.

3. CAPT. JOSEPH was born December 23, 1680. He married, in Charlestown, Mass., Sarah Whittemore, in 1708. She died in 1716.

Children: Joseph, died young; Joseph, Samuel.

He married (2) Hannah Estabrook of Charlestown. He died in 1760.



Children: Joseph, Hannah, Sarah, John, Elizabeth, died young; Joseph, Elizabeth, John, Millicent, Submit, Jonathan.

- ELIZABETH was born May 4, 1729; married, January 26, 1746, Joseph Coolidge of Cambridge.

#### MILLER.

- REV. JOHN MILLER (a descendant of Nicholas Miller, Sheriff of Kent) was educated at Gouville and Caius, Cambridge, England, and took degree of A. B., 1627. He had a share of land granted him on Boston Neck, in or near Roxbury, 1636. He was a member of Dr. Elliott's Church, Roxbury. He was made freeman May 22, 1639, and was a minister in Roxbury, 1639. He had numerous calls from distant places, but always declined, though ever willing to supply wherever a clergyman was most needed in the vicinity of his early settlement. He married, in England, Lydia. She died in Boston, August 7, 1658. He died in Groton, June 12, 1663.

Children: John, born in England, 1632; Mehitable, Lydia, Susanna, Elizabeth and others.

- ELIZABETH, born October 13, 1649; married, 1672, Dr. Samuel Frost.

#### ESTABROOK.

- REV. JOSEPH ESTABROOK was born in Enfield, Middlesex, England, about 1644. He received his early education in England, and graduated from Harvard College, Cambridge, Mass., 1664. He was a freeman of Cambridge in 1665. He married, in Watertown, May 20, 1668, Mary, daughter of Capt. Hugh Mason. He died Sept. 16, 1711.

Children: Joseph, Rev. Benjamin, Mary, Samuel, Daniel, Ann.

- JOSEPH, born 1669. He settled in Lexington, where he was Deacon of the Church. He married (1) Millicent Woodhouse. She died March 20, 1692. He married (2) August 25, 1693, Hannah Loring, widow of Joseph Loring, and daughter of John and Sarah (Gilman) Leavitt of Hingham. She was born in 1639.

Children: Joseph, John, Solomon, Hannah, Millicent, Elijah.



3. HANNAH, born August 2, 1698. She married, May 23, 1717, Capt. Joseph Frost of Charlestown, Mass.

### PHIPS.

1. JAMES PHIPS, a gunsmith, came from Bristol, England, to Charlestown, before 1648. A number of his children were born there. He settled, later, at the mouth of the Kennebec River—then a part of Massachusetts—the place is now known as Phippsville. He went, later in life, to Pemequid, Me.

Children (of whom it was said there were twenty-three, but which is a doubtful story), there are now known: Solomon, who remained in Charlestown; Gov. William, John, Mary, Margaret, and Anna. The last four were mentioned in Gov. William Phips' will.

2. JOHN, who is said to have been born in Charlestown, went with his father to Maine, where descendants now live. Only one son, John, has been traced by the author.
3. JOHN, who lived with and was educated by his uncle, Governor William, was promised to share equally with Spencer Bennet (the nephew of the Governor's wife, who also lived in the household) in his uncle's fortune; but the influence of his wife caused the Governor to change his will in favor of her nephew, leaving but a comparatively small sum to John Phips. The Governor told John he would give him a sufficient sum to make up an equal share. Unfortunately, the Governor died suddenly, in London, with his promise unfulfilled. John brought suit to recover. Mrs. Phips sought to compromise, but without avail. John was stubborn, and would take only an equal share, as his uncle had promised. Yet, despite the proven uncomfortable temper of his wife, the Governor's will held good, he being, supposedly, of sound mind. John settled in Wrentham before 1690. His marriage record has not been found.

Children were: Elizabeth, Margaret, Anna and John.

4. JOHN, born 1696. He moved to Sherburn, settling on an estate left by his wife's father. He married (date unknown) Hannah, daughter of Elisha and Hannah (Metcalf) Bullens. He died in October, 1746, aged 50 years. His wife died April 4, 1743. Both were buried in Central Burying Ground, Sherburn, Mass.



Children: William, died young; William, Jedidiah, Aaron, Hannah, Samuel, David.

- REV. JEDIDIAH was born in Sherburn, March 11, 1724-5. He settled in Douglas, but returned to Sherburn in 1768. He married Sarah, daughter of Capt. Edward and Sarah (Leland) Learned.—See published genealogies. He died in Sherburn, 1820, aged 95 years.

Children: John, Jedidiah, Jesse, Sarah, Persis, Polly.

- JOHN was born in 1757. He was a soldier in the War of Independence, and served three years at one enlistment and other shorter terms. He was in the fight at Bunker Hill, and was pensioned. He married Hannah Coolidge, 1781. He died at the home of his daughter Betsey, at Woodville, May 5, 1831. His wife died at the same place, July 4, 1851. Both were buried at Sherburn, Mass.

Children: Betsey, b. Feb. 24, 1782; Sally, b. June 7, 1783; married Col. Joseph Sanger.

- BETSEY, born Feb. 24, 1782. She married, July 26, 1801, Capt. Richard Gamage of Woodville, Mass.

#### RICE.

- EDMUND RICE came from Berkhamstead, Bucks County, England. He was born about 1594. (The name is of Welch origin—ap-Rice. The English branch of the family dropped the ap, which signified “son of.”) He settled, in 1639, in that part of Sudbury later set off as Marlboro. By wife, Tamazine, he had

Children: Henry, about 1617; Edward, Thomas, Mathew, Samuel, Jonathan, Lydia, who married Hugh Drury; Edmund, Benjamin, Ruth, Ann.

His wife died in 1654. He m. (2) Mercie, by whom there were no children.

- HENRY. He called himself fifty years of age in a deed dated 1667. He was a freeman in 1638 and married, at Sudbury, Feb. 1, 1643, Elizabeth—born in England—daughter of John and Elizabeth (Whaley) Moore of Sudbury. (Elizabeth Whaley was daughter of Philimon and Elizabeth Whaley of Sudbury. John Moore was in Cambridge as early as 1637.



He went, soon after, to Sudbury, where he bought land of Edmund Rice, in 1642. It is not now known where he came from in England.) Henry Rice died in Framingham in 1710, and his wife died in the same place, Aug. 3, 1703.

Children: Mary, Elizabeth, Hannah, Jonathan, Abigail, David, Tamazine, Rachel, Lydia, Mercy.

3. **JONATHAN**, born in Sudbury, July 3, 1654. He married, March 23, 1674-5, Martha Ames. She died in 1675. Child: Martha, b. 1675. He m. (2) Rebecca Watson of Cambridge, Nov. 1, 1677. She died in Sudbury, Dec. 22, 1689.

Children: Jonathan, David, Anna, Henry, Martha.

He m. (3) Elizabeth, daughter of Richard and Sarah (Prescott) Wheeler of Lancaster. She was born May 24, 1669, and married, Feb. 12, 1690-1. He moved to Framingham after 1705, where he died, April 12, 1725, aged 71 years.

Children: Hezibah, Abraham, Ezekiel, Elizabeth, Phineas, Sarah, Richard, Abigail.

4. **EZEKIEL**. He was born, Oct. 14, 1700, and married, Jan. 22, 1722, Hannah Whitney (See Whitney Genealogy).

Children: Ezekiel, John, James, Hannah, David, Richard, Martha. By second wife, name unknown: Uriah and Moses. He died before 1753.

5. **RICHARD**. He was born Oct. 20, 1730, and married, Jan. 16, 1755, Sarah Drury. He died in Natick, Jan. 24, 1793. He was a Corporal under Capt. Jesse Ames, and marched to Concord and Cambridge from Framingham, April 19, 1775, and was out ten days. They were called minute men, because ready at a moment's alarm to arm and march wherever needed. Their pay was 1s. 5d. per day. His wife died in Union, Me., March 28, 1821, where she went with her son, James, to reside.

Children, born in Natick: Martha, James.

6. **MARHTA**, born May 7, 1756. She married, first, Ebenezer Swift, by whom she had one son, Ebenezer. Her husband died Sept. 13, 1775, aged 23 years. She m. (2) Feb. 5, 1779-80, Samuel Gamage of Cambridge.

#### WHEELER.

**RICHARD WHEELER** settled, first, in Dedham, Mass., where he married, June 4, 1644, Elizabeth Turner. They had six chil-



dren. His wife died Dec. 25, 1656. He m. (2) August 2, 1658, Sarah Prescott of Lancaster. Child: Abraham, b. in Dedham, Dec. 7, 1659. They then moved to Lancaster, where six more children were born. Elizabeth, b. May 24, 1669, married Jonathan Rice of Framingham, Mass.

Mr. Wheeler was killed by the Indians, Feb. 10, 1676. His widow married, February 22, 1677-8, Joseph Rice.

#### PRESCOTT.

JOHN PRESCOTT was born in Sherington, Lancashire, England. He was a blacksmith, a trade that has been followed by many of his descendants through each generation to the present time. He married, at Wigan, Lancashire, June 21, 1629, Mary Platt. They came from Somerby, York, to New England, about 1638, bringing several children. They settled, first, in Watertown; moved to Lynn; then, later, to the new settlement of Lancaster, Mass.

Children: Sarah, Martha, John, born in England; Lydia, b. 1641; Jonathan, Jonas, b. 1648.

John Prescott served under Cromwell, and brought with him his coat of mail and weapons, which served him in fighting with the Indians. His grandfather was James Prescott of Stoughton, Parish of Standish, Lancashire, England. He took the oath of allegiance in 1652. His daughter Sarah, born in England, married, in Lancaster, Richard Wheeler of the same place.

#### DRURY.

1. JOHN DRURY was born in London in 1616, son of Obed Drury of London, a descendant of John de Drury, whose father came with William the Conqueror. He came with Governor Winthrop Company, 1635. He called himself George, and was aged 19 years. He went with Dr. Elliott's Company to the mouth of the Connecticut, but, later, returned and settled in Sudbury, where he received a grant of land in 1641. In 1646, he went to Boston, where he engaged extensively in mercantile business, was very successful, and left a large property. He was a member of the First Church, Lieutenant of Artillery in



1659, Proprietor of Castle Tavern, and had lands near Mill Bridge. He married, 1645, Lydia Rice. He died in July, 1689. His wife died April 5, 1675. Both were buried in King's Chapel Ground, Tremont Street, Boston.

2. JOHN, born in Sudbury, March 2, 1646. He was a house carpenter and moved to Boston. He was a member of Old South Church in 1672, Lieutenant in King Philip's War in 1675, and was considered a wealthy man for his time. He married Mary (the widow of Ed. Fletcher, who was a Nonconformist Minister of Dunsborn Rectory, Gloucestershire. Her maiden name is unknown). He died in 1678.

Children: Thomas, Lydia, Mary, Mercy, Elizabeth, John.

3. THOMAS, born in Boston, August 10, 1668. He settled in Framingham, and was Town Clerk eleven years, from 1700; Schoolmaster, 1713; Lieutenant of Militia, 1713; and Captain, 1719. He married Rachel, daughter of Henry Rice, Dec. 15, 1687.

Children: Thomas, Caleb, John, Mary, Rachel, Lydia, Elizabeth, Micah, Uriah.

4. THOMAS. He was born August 29, 1690; married, June 10, 1719, Sarah, daughter of Capt. Isaac and Sarah (Stow) Clark, born August 5, 1701. He died April 10, 1743.

Children: Thomas, Mary, Abigail, Rachel, Thankful, Sarah, Benjamin, Mary, Elizabeth.

5. SARAH. She was born in 1734, and, July 16, 1755, married Richard Rice of Natick.

#### CLARKE.

1. LIEUT. THADDEUS CLARKE. It is not known from where he came, but he was "a man of standing and enterprise. He settled at Clarke's Point, Portland, Me., and was one of the commandants there. He married, 1662, Elizabeth, born 1644, daughter of Michael and Grace (Cleaves) Mytton. (Michael Mytton came from England with George Cleaves, the father of Grace, his wife, and settled near Portland in 1637. Children were: Ann, Elizabeth, b. 1644; Mary, Martha, Nathaniel. Mr. Mytton was Constable in 1640, and Freeman in 1658. He died in 1660. His widow married —— Harvey, and died in



Boston, 1682. Michael Island, in Portland Harbor, was owned and named for Mr. Mytton, and was sold by his heirs in 1661.)

Children of Thaddeus Clarke: Isaac, b. 1666; Elizabeth, 1668; m. Capt. Edward Tyng (her daughter, Elizabeth, m. a brother of Dr. Franklin); Rebecca, and others.

Lieut. Clarke was killed by the Indians at Munjoy's Hill, 1690. His wife died in Boston, at the home of a daughter, in 1736, aged 92 years.

2. CAPT. ISAAC was born in 1666. He was a carpenter by trade. He settled, first, in Marlboro, and was not baptized until 1685, 6m. 30d. As one could not be baptized unless they or their parents were members of a church, it is probable that the Captain joined the church at that time, at Roxbury, under Elliot's pastorate. He moved to Framingham, where he commanded a Company of Troopers. He was in Father Ralles' War, 1725. He retained his vigor to an unusual age, riding about among his neighbors on horseback when one hundred years old. He died May 26, 1768. His wife died May 17, 1761, aged 88 years. They had lived together 70 years. At his death there were 251 descendants. He married Sarah Stow in 1691.

Children: Martha, Sarah, b. Aug. 5, 1701; Mary, 1704-5; Jonathan, 1706; Isaac, 1709; Jonathan, 1712; Mathias, 1716.

3. SARAH, b. August 5, 1701. She married, June 10, 1719, Thomas Drury.

#### STOW.

1. JOHN STOW came from Middlesex County, England. He belonged to the London branch of the family, and descended from John de Stow of London, who received the living of Rothsfield from King Edward II, 1285. He arrived in New England May 17, 1634, in one of the six ships that came together at that time. He brought with him the Coat of Arms of his family. He settled in Roxbury, Mass., where he was made freeman Sept. 3, 1634, and was a Representative from there at two Courts. His wife was Elizabeth Wetherbee. They brought six children: Thomas, Elizabeth, John, Nathaniel, Samuel, Thankful. He died Oct. 26, 1643. His wife was buried Aug. 21, 1638. Both were buried in Roxbury, Mass.



2. THOMAS was a member of the Artillery in Roxbury, 1638. He was made freeman in Concord, Mass., 1648, where he died, date not found. He married, in Roxbury, Dec. 4, 1639, Mary Greggs (daughter of Rev. George Greggs, Rector of Landen, Bucks County, England, who came in the "Hopewell" from London, 1635, aged 42 years. He brought his wife Mary and daughter Mary and three other children. Savage says Mary was six years old at that time; but, as she married in 1639, she was undoubtedly sixteen at the time of her arrival in New England.)

Children of Thomas and Mary Stow were: John, b. 1641; Mary, 1643. They then moved to Middleton, where were born Thankful, Elizabeth, Samuel, Thomas.

3. SAMUEL, son of Thomas, was born in Middleton, where he was a Proprietor, 1670, and rated for £194. His wife's name has not been found. His daughter, Sarah, was born in 1673. His wife died in 1680. The date of his death has not been found, but the inventory of his estate, taken Feb. 23, 1684. His daughter, Sarah, b. 1673, married Capt. Isaac Clarke.

#### MADDOCK.

JOHN and JAMES MADDOCK came from Bristol, England, very early, and settled in Newbury, where James remained. John moved to Lynn, then to Salem, and, finally, back to Newbury. There were, later, two young men, David and Henry, but it is not now known whose sons they were, or if they were brothers. David was in Boston in 1650. Henry settled in Charlestown, Mass., where he married Mary, daughter of Roger and Mary (Palgrave) Wellington. Their only child recorded is John, born in 1663. There were others—probably, the Mary Maddock who married John Coolidge, Sept. 13, 1679, son of the John Coolidge who married, September 13, 1679, the widowed mother of Mary Maddock, and whose name was also Mary, widow of Henry Maddock.

#### NORWOOD.

1. FRANCIS NORWOOD settled in Ipswich, where his marriage, Oct. 15, 1663, to Elizabeth Coldhurn (daughter of Clement (2), born



in England. He moved from Lynn to Gloucester, where his children were born, and where he died, December 18, 1703, aged 80 years. He was the son of Clement (1) who was in Lynn in 1630—a miller. He was a member of an Artillery Company in 1645—Savage,) is the first record of his appearance in New England. At the time of the settlement of New England, there was a family of Norwoods in the Parish of Le Champton, about eight miles from Gloucester, England. According to the pedigree of this family, a Francis died in 1682, aged 82 years, and it was his son, Francis, who came to New England. His grant of land at Goose Neck is dated March 18, 1664. He had other grants later. He is said to be a grandson of one of the judges who condemned Charles I. to death. He died March 4, 1709.

Children, born in Ipswich, Mass.: Thomas, 1664; Francis, 1666. The family moved to Gloucester, where were born: Elizabeth, 1669; Mary, 1672; Stephen, 1674; Deborah, 1677; Hannah, 1679; Joshua, 1683; Caleb, 1685; Abigail, 1689.

2. **JOSHUA.** He was born Nov. 8, 1683, Gloucester, Mass.; married, September 25, 1704, Elizabeth, daughter of Ensign William Andrews of Ipswich, Mass. He died in 1762.

Children: Elizabeth, born 1706, died young; Joshua, b. 1707 (married, in First Church of Gloucester, Sarah Goodrich. Their son, Solomon, baptized Feb. 8, 1747, married Rebecca Gamage of Cambridge. Their children were: David Norwood, born Nov. 4, 1780; James Norwood, May 15, 1782) Elizabeth, 1709; Sarah, 1710; Stephen, 1713; Hannah, 1715; Mary, April 15, 1717; Susanna, 1719; Francis, 1723; Merriam, 1725; Susanna, 1727; Rachel, 1728 Patience, 1731; Caleb.

Mary, born April 15, 1717, married Nathaniel Gamage of Cambridge, Mass.

#### FOSTER.

1. **REGINALD FOSTER** was born about 1595. He came to Ipswich, New England, about 1638, from Exeter, Devonshire, England. He brought his wife, Judith, with seven children by first wife, whose name is unknown. His wife Judith died October 16, 1664. He m. (3) Sept. 19, 1665, Mrs. Sarah (White), widow of John Martin. Mr. Foster belonged to the family of Bamborough and Ethelstone Castle, Northumberland County, whose pedi-



gree is traced to the time of William the Conqueror, in Foster Genealogy, to Sir Richard Forester, or Forestaries, who was brother-in-law to William the Conqueror. His father was Baldwin IV., the Forester, called "Le Debonaire," whose wife was Adele, daughter of Robert, King of France, and he participated in the Battle of Hastings.

His sons were: Abraham, William, Reginald, Isaac, Jacob.

2. **ABRAHAM** (Reginald<sup>1</sup>) was b. in Exeter, England, 1622. He m. 1655, Lydia, daughter of Caleb and Martha Burbank of Rowley, Mass. (Caleb Burbank was son of John,<sup>1</sup> of Rowley, who was freeman there May 13, 1640. In his will, made April 5, 1681, he names his wife, Jemima, and children: John, Caleb and Lydia—Savage.) He was sixteen years of age when he came with his father to New England. He resided in Ipswich, Mass., where he died, January 25, 1711. He left no will; but divided his estate among his family by deed. He joined the Church in full communion April 12, 1674. He was 76 years of age Sept. 26, 1698, as stated in deposition concerning land of Rev. John Norton. He is called a yeoman.
3. **CALEB** (Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Reginald<sup>1</sup>) was born in Ipswich, November 9, 1677. He married, June 2, 1702, Mary Sherman of Ipswich, Mass. He was a resident of Ipswich, where, in 1700, he was assigned a seat "behind ye pulpit" in the Meeting House, then recently built. He died January 25, 1766.
4. **CALEB** (Caleb,<sup>3</sup> Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Reginald<sup>1</sup>) was born in Ipswich, Mass., June 5, 1708. He married at Rowley, Mass., Nov. 4, 1729, Priscilla Buxton. The date of baptism of his children has not been found. His son,
5. **NATHAN** (Caleb,<sup>4</sup>, Caleb,<sup>3</sup> Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Reginald<sup>1</sup>) had wife, Miriam \_\_\_\_\_. They resided, first, at "Pigeon Hill," Ipswich, and, later, at Rockport, Mass., where was baptized, March 30, 1760, Eleanor, who married Joshua Gamage of Rockport, Mass.

### TARR.

1. **RICHARD TARR** was, first, in Marblehead, Mass., in 1680, where he had two sons born: William and John. He moved to Sandy Bay, later, called Rockport, Mass., in 1690, being one of its earliest settlers. His will was made January 7, 1729, proved



June 13, 1732, in which he makes provision for his wife, Elizabeth. He was a fisherman, and believed to have been well known by the Indians of the Penobscot.

Children, born in Rockport, were: Elizabeth, 1691; Honor, 1693; Richard, 1695; Joseph, 1698; Benjamin, 1700; Caleb, 1703; Samuel, 1706; Abigail, 1709.

2. **SAMUEL** (Richard<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1706. He married, October 12, 1726, Eliza Williams. He was a fisherman, and was drowned in Sheepscots River, Me.

Children: Samuel, born March, 1729; Jacob, 1731; Jeremiah, 1733; Abraham, 1734; Elizabeth, 1737, died young; Elizabeth, 1738.

3. **SAMUEL** (Samuel,<sup>2</sup> Richard<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1729. He married, Sept. 9, 1760, Ruth, daughter of Nathaniel Gamage of Cambridge.

Children: Samuel, born 1761; Oliver, 1764; and Abraham, 1769.

The date of Mr. Tarr's death is not known. His widow m. (2) January 21, 1772, John Turner.

#### WYETH.

1. **NICHOLAS WYETH.** He came to New England, and settled in Cambridge, before 1645. He was a widower with children: Nicholas, Jr., Sarah, and Mary. He m. (2) Rebecca, widow of Thomas Andrews.

Their children were: Martha, John, William.

He died July 19, 1680, aged 85 years. His widow married, 1685, Thomas Fox. She died in 1698. Mr. Wyeth, who was a mason, bought an estate on the west side of Garden Street, corner of Appian Way. It remained in possession of heirs over two hundred years. It was occupied by Joshua Gamage, and sold by heirs of Dr. William Gamage, and, later, removed out on the flats, where it is still occupied.

2. **WILLIAM** was born Jan. 1, 1657. He resided in Cambridge, and married, October 16, 1683, Ruth Shepard of Watertown. He was killed by the Indians, 1703.

Children: Ruth, 1685; William, 1687; Deborah, and Martha. The last two appear to have been the only children living Aug.



19, 1702, at which time Mr. Wyeth conveyed his estate to trustees, for their benefit. They also had property left them by their spinster aunt, Martha Wyeth.

3. DEBORAH. She married Joshua Gamage in 1710.

#### ENSIGN.

1. THOMAS ENSIGN. He settled early in Hingham, where he married Elizabeth Wilder. He moved, later, to Scituate. Children were: Hannah, born 1640; Elizabeth, John. His daughter, Hannah, born July 6, 1640, married, Nov. 19, 1658, Thomas Shepard.

#### SHEPARD.

1. RALPH SHEPARD. He was from Line House, Stepney, Middlesex County, England. He sailed from London in the "Abigail," January, 1635, aged 29 years, with his wife, Thanks (Lord?) aged 23 years, and daughter, Sarah, aged 2 years. He had land assigned him in Dedham. Had sons: John and Thomas. He moved to Weymouth and, later, to Concord, in 1666.
2. THOMAS. He was living in Charlestown in 1652, remaining there some years. He moved to Medford, but returned, late in life, to Charlestown. He married, Nov. 19, 1656, Hannah Ensign. He had a large family, but as he did not join the Church until 1677, the baptisms of all his children were not recorded—only that of his youngest child, Isaac. His wife died March 14, 1698. He died in Milton, Sept. 26, 1719, aged 87 years. His daughter,
2. RUTH, married Thomas Wyeth of Cambridge.

#### WILDER.

1. THOMAS WILDER. He was of Shiplake, County of Oxford, and a descendant of Nicholas Wilder, time of Henry VII. His widow, Martha, came to New England in 1638, bringing three children: Edward, who settled in Hingham; Thomas, who settled in Charlestown, where his mother had made her home; and Elizabeth. Mrs. Wilder died April 20, 1652.  
Her daughter,
2. ELIZABETH, married, 1640, Thomas Ensign.



## FLAGG.

1. THOMAS FLAGG was the son of Bartholomew and Alicia Flagg, of East Flagg, Norfolkshire, England. He was born in 1616, and came to New England in 1637, with his wife, Mary, born 1619, disguised as a servant to Richard Carver. He settled in Waltham, where he bought a large tract of land. He was Selectman in 1671, 1674, 1675, 1676, and 1678. He died, Feb. 6, 1697-8. The will of his wife was proved in 1703.

Children: John, born 1643; Bartholomew, 1644-5; Thomas, 1646; Gershon, Michael, 1650; Eleazer, 1653; Elizabeth, 1654; Mary, 1657; Rebecca, 1660.

His daughter,

2. REBECCA, born Sept. 5, 1660, married, 1679, Stephen Cook of Newton.

## MOORE.

1. JOHN MOORE. He came to New England with his wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Philemon and Elizabeth Whaley, who were early settlers of Sudbury, where Mr. Moore also settled, and where he bought a house lot, in 1642, of Edmund Rice.

Children: John, born 1611; Lydia, who married James Walker; William, Jacob, Joseph, Mary, who married Daniel Stone; Benjamin, Elizabeth.

He married, for second wife, Ann, daughter of John Wood. He was Major of State Militia. His will was proved in 1674.

2. ELIZABETH was born in England. She married, Feb. 1, 1643, Henry Rice of Sudbury. She died in Framingham, August 3, 1705.

## WHITNEY.

1. JOHN WHITNEY. He was living in Isleworth (opposite Richmond, nine miles from London) during 1623 and 1624. He claimed descent from Eustice Whitney, living in 1066. He sailed for New England in 1635, in the ship "Elizabeth and Ann," and settled in Watertown, where he held town offices of trust. His wife was Elinor \_\_\_\_\_.

Children: Mary, born 1619; John, 1624; Richard, 1626; Nathaniel, 1627; Thomas, 1629; Jonathan, 1634; Joshua, 1635; Caleb, 1640; Benjamin, 1643.



His wife died May 11, 1659. He married (2) Sept. 29, 1659, Judith Clement. He died June 1, 1673, aged about 84 years.

2. JONATHAN. He was of Watertown and born in 1634. He married, in Oct. 30, 1656, Lydia Jones. He died in 1672.  
His son,
3. JOHN. He was born June 27, 1662, and settled in Framingham. He married, in Watertown, Mary Hapgood. They had three children. His wife died, and he married (2) Sarah Haven, who died April 23, 1716. He married (3) Nov. 10, 1718, Mary Walker, who died Sept. 27, 1721. He died in 1735.
4. HANNAH, daughter of John and Sarah Haven Whitney, born Sept. 27, 1697. She married, Jan. 22, 1722, Ezekiel Rice.

#### JONES.

1. LEWIS JONES sailed for New England in the ship "George Downs," on October 13, 1635, aged 20 years. The name Jones is said to be of Welsh origin, derived from John. He settled in Roxbury, where he joined Dr. Elliot's Church. About 1650 he moved to Watertown, where he died, April 11, 1684. In his will he mentions "wife Anna, and children Phoebe, Shubael, Josiah, and daughter Lydia Whitney, who married, October 30, 1656." His wife died at Watertown, May 1, 1680, aged 78 years.
2. LYDIA. She married Jonathan Whitney, Oct. 30, 1656.

#### MYTTON.

1. MICHAEL MYTTON came from England, in company with George Cleves. He settled in what is now Falmouth, near Portland, in 1637. His wife was Elizabeth, the only daughter of George Cleves.

Children were: Ann, who married Anthony Bracket; Elizabeth, born in 1644; Mary, who married Thomas Bracket; Sarah, who married James Andrews; Martha, who married John Graves; and Nathaniel, who was killed by the Indians August 1, 1676, unmarried.

Mr. Mytton was appointed Constable of Casco in 1640. Michael Island, in Portland Harbor, was owned by him, and



sold by his heirs in 1661. He died in 1660. His widow married (2) —— Harvey, and died in Boston in 1682.

His daughter,

2. ELIZABETH, was born in 1644. She married Thaddeus Clark of Portland.

#### BULLENS.

1. DEACON SAMUEL BULLENS was an early settler and proprietor of Dedham, and one of the Covenant Signers in 1636. He married, 1641, Mary Morse, and went to Medfield, where his house was built, in 1651. He was "The first European with a family in this town." He died January 16, 1691, and his wife died Feb. 14, 1688.

Their son,

2. ELISHA, was born in 1657, and married, 1683, Hannah Metcalf. He died February 19, 1735, and his wife died Dec. 20, 1719.

Their daughter,

3. HANNAH, was born June 28, 1692, and married John Phips of Wrentham.

#### MORSE.

1. SAMUEL MORSE was born in Foxearth, Essex, England, in 1585, and was the son of the Rev. Thomas Morse. He emigrated, by permission, on board the ship "Increase," April 15, 1635. He was recorded as husbandman, aged 50 years; wife, Elizabeth, aged 48 years, with children. They settled, first, in Cambridge, then the metropolis of the Colony. In 1637 he purchased land in Dedham.

Children were: John, born 1611; Daniel, 1613; Joseph, 1615; Abigail, Samuel, who returned to England and served as Colonel under the Crown, but he came back and married Mary Bullens; Jeremiah, and Mary,<sup>2</sup> who married Deacon Samuel Bullens.

2. JOSEPH, who was born in 1615, took the freeman's oath May 6, 1635, and moved to Dedham in 1637, where he was received into the Church in 1639. He was a blacksmith. In 1638 he



married Hannah Philips of Watertown. He married (2), 1658, Theo. Boyden. She died Oct. 3, 1676.

His son,

3. CAPT. JOSEPH, was born Sept. 26, 1649. He was a brave, gallant soldier in King Philip's war. He married Mehitable, daughter of Nicholas and Mary (Williams) Wyeth. She was born July 22, 1655, and died Nov. 12, 1681. He married (2), April 11, 1683, Hannah Babcock.<sup>2</sup> He died February 19, 1717, in Milton. His wife, Hannah, died Nov. 9, 1711, in Sherborn.

Their daughter,

4. HANNAH, was born April 5, 1689. She married, April 26, 1710, Isaac Coolidge.
3. JEREMIAH, son of Joseph and Hannah (Philips), was born 10th day, 4th month, 1651. He was a blacksmith and lived in Medfield. His wife was Elizabeth \_\_\_\_\_. He died February 19, 1716-7, and his wife died April 25, 1733, aged 74 years.

Their daughter,

4. MARY, was born March 5, 1685, and married Ensign Henry Leland. She died in 1760, aged 75 years.

#### METCALF.

1. REV. MICHAEL METCALF, born at Taterford in 1592, was the son of Rev. Leonard Metcalf of Taterford, England, who was born in 1545, and was grandson of Thomas Metcalf, a goldsmith of London, whose wife was Alice Cook. On September 21, 1618, the freedom of the City of Norfolk, where he was a minister, was granted him by the King. Being persecuted for his religious principles by Bishop Wren, he succeeded, after much difficulty, in fleeing the country. He arrived in New England June 20, 1637, with his wife, nine children and servant. He married, Oct. 13, 1616, Sarah Ellwyn of Waynburn, who was born June 17, 1593, and died Feb. 21, 1645. He married, (2), in 1645, Mary Pidge of Roxbury. He was Selectman, and held other offices of trust. He died December 24, 1674, leaving an estate of £364.

His son,

2. JOHN, was born in Norwich, England, in 1622. He settled in Dedham, Mass., and married, March 22, 1647, Mary Chickering.



They moved to Medfield, where he died Nov. 27, 1675. His wife died in 1698.

Their daughter,

3. HANNAH, was born October 13, 1664, and married, 1690, Elisha Bullens. She died in 1719.

#### CHICKERING.

1. FRANCIS CHICKERING was the son of Stephen of Micklewood, Suffolk, England, who died in 1576, and whose sons were: Simeon, Henry, Francis. He descended from Thomas of Wymondham, County Norfolk, in the reign of Henry VIII. Mr. Chickering married Ann Fiske. He came to New England in 1637, and settled in Dedham. He married (2) June 10, 1650, Sarah, widow of John Sibley. Mr. Chickering was a freeman in 1640, Member of Artillery in 1643, Ensign in 1644, and Representative in 1644 and 1653. He died in October, 1658. "His good estate went principally to his five daughters," who were: Mary, born about 1630; Ann, 1635; Elizabeth, 1638; Bethia, 1640; Esther, 1643; John, 1646; Mercy, 1648.
2. MARY. She was born about 1630, and married, March 2, 1647, John Metcalf.

#### FISKE.

1. SYMOND FISKE, Lord of Stradhaugh. He lived in the reigns of Henry IV. and VI. He died in 1464. His wife was Susanna Smythe. Their son,
2. WILLIAM, lived in the reigns of Henry VI. and Edward IV. He died in 1504. His wife was Sarah Lynne. Their son,
3. SIMON, lived in the reign of Queen Mary. He endured grievous religious persecutions, and died in 1538. The name of his wife is not known.

Children: Robert, Richard, William, Nicholas.

4. ROBERT, of St. James' Parish, South Elam. His wife was Sybil Gold, who was born about 1520. Son,
5. WILLIAM, of South Elam. His wife was Ann Eustyse. Children: Mary, Ann, John, William.



6. JOHN, of South Elam. His wife was Ann Lanterse.

Their children were: Ann, who married Francis Chickering; and Rev. John Fiske, who came to New England with his brother-in-law.

#### LEARNED.

1. WILLIAM LEARNED came from Bermondsey, Suffolk County. As the name is not found in the heraldries of England, it is believed his parents were Huguenots. His wife was Goodith—probably a corruption of Judith. They came to New England in 1630, and were the first members admitted to the First Church of Charlestown—the records reading, “1632, 10 m. day 6.” He was made freeman May 14, 1630; Selectman, 1635 and 1636. He was one of the seven who, on August 14, 1642, formed the First Church of Woburn, and, in 1644, was on the first Board of Selectmen of Woburn. His wife died after 1624. He was Selectman and Constable at the time of his death, March 1, 1646. He left widow Sarah Jane, or Jane.

His son,

2. ISAAC, was baptized at Bermondsey Parish, Feb. 25, 1623-4, and came with his father to New England and settled in Reading. July 9, 1646, he married Mary Stearns of Woburn. They moved to Chelmsford about 1652, where he died, Nov. 27, 1657. His widow married (2), in 1662, John Burgess. She died in 1663, at Framingham.

Isaac's son,

3. DEACON BENONI, was born at Chelmsford, Nov. 29, 1657, and married, at Sherburn, June 18, 1680, Mary, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Daniels) Fanning. She died October 14, 1688, aged 26 years. He married (2) Sarah Wright of Sudbury. Beside filling the office of Deacon in his Church, which was a highly honorable distinction in the Colony at that time, he was Constable in 1682, Selectman in 1690, 1693, 1695, 1697, 1700, and 1710. He died April 10, 1738, “a man of sound and consistent piety.”

His son,

4. CAPT. EDWARD, was born in Sherburn, December 2, 1705, and was Captain of Militia in 1750, and Selectman in 1745. He married, December 25, 1728, Sarah Leland, who died May 17,



1736, aged 26 years. He married (2), 1737, Abigail Morse. He died Sept. 9, 1775.

His daughter,

5. SARAH, was born January 18, 1733. She married, 1750, Rev. Jedidiah Phips of Douglas. She died at Sherburn, May 17, 1786.

#### STEARNS.

1. ISAAC STEARNS came to New England in 1630, with Richard Saltonstall, from Nayland, Suffolk County, England. He was made freeman May 18, 1631—"The earliest date of any such admission." He was selectman in 1659, 1670, and 1671. His wife was Mary, daughter of John and Margaret Barker of Stoke Nayland. She died April 2, 1677. He was on the first jury that tried civil cases in New England, and died June 19, 1671.

Their children were: Mary, baptized Jan. 6, 1626; Ann, October 5, 1628; John, born 1631; Isaac, 1633; Sarah, 1635; Samuel, 1638; Elizabeth, Abigail.

2. MARY. She was baptized Jan. 6, 1626, and married, in Woburn, July 9, 1646, Isaac Learned.

#### WRIGHT.

1. DOROTHY WRIGHT, a widow, came to New England before 1639, with three children: Edward, Samuel, Lydia. Her husband was Francis Wright of Bromwich Castle, Warwick County. This castle was given to Francis Wright by John Wiggan, whose daughter, Mary, he married, June 27, 1613. Mary was, evidently, Mr. Wright's first wife, and Dorothy the second wife. Mrs. Wright settled in Sudbury, where she shared in the division of meadow lands. She married (2), March 10, 1642, John Blanford.
2. CAPT. EDWARD settled in Sudbury. He served in King Philip's war, and was in the Sudbury fight of 1676, when his property was damaged by Indians £100, after which he was made Captain. He married in Boston, May 27, 1657, Mary Powers. He married (2), June 18, 1659, Hannah Upson of Sudbury. He died August 7, 1703, and his wife died May 18, 1708.



Their daughter,

3. SARAH, was born January 17, 1665, and married Deacon Benoni Learned. She died January 25, 1736-7.

#### BABCOCK.

1. DAVID BABCOCK came in the ship "Ann," from Essex County, England, and settled in Dorchester, where he was admitted to First Church in 1640. He moved, in 1642, to Newport, and, later, to Westerly. The name of his wife is not known.

Children were: George, David, Robert, Margaret, and perhaps, James.

2. ROBERT. He was a rater for Dorchester in 1657, Supervisor of Highways in 1660, Selectman in 1678, 1691 and at other times. He was a Captain of Militia, and held lands in Sherburn. His wife was Isanna. Capt. Robert died Nov. 12, 1694, and his wife died December 4, 1700, aged 71 years.

His daughter,

3. HANNAH, was born February 8, 1665, and married Capt. Joseph Morse, April 11, 1683. She died Nov. 9, 1711.

#### LELAND.

1. HENRY LELAND was born about 1625, and was the son of Hopestill Leland of Lancaster, England. He came to New England in 1643, and was a man of deeply religious character, which led him, with so many others, to seek the freedom of the New World. His wife was Margaret, daughter of James Babcock of Essex County—a brother of David Babcock. He settled in Sherburn, where he died, April 4, 1680.

His son,

2. HOPESTILL, was born November 15, 1655, and married, Nov. 5, 1678, Abigail Hill. She died October 5, 1689. He married (3) Patience Holbrook, who died in 1740. He died at Bogistow in 1729, aged 75 years.

His son,

3. HENRY was an Ensign of Militia, and born in 1679. He married Mary, daughter of Jeremiah Morse of Medfield. He died in 1732, and his wife died in 1760, aged 75 years.



His daughter,

4. **SARAH**, was born August 15, 1710. She married, December 25, 1728, Capt. Edwin Learned. She died May 17, 1736.

### HILL.

1. **JOHN HILL** was in Plymouth, New England, in 1632, and in Dorchester in 1634—a member of Boston Artillery. He was a blacksmith by trade. The name of his wife was Francis —. He died in 1664.

Children: John, Jonathan, baptized 1639; Samuel, 1640; Hannah, 1641; Mary, Francis, Ebenezer, and three or four more, who died before their father.

2. **JOHN**. He settled in Newton in 1658, and married Hannah, daughter of John<sup>1</sup> and Abigail Holbrook. She died in 1690. For his second wife, he married Elizabeth (Thrope) Bullard, widow of Benjamin Bullard. He died in 1718.

His daughter,

3. **ABIGAIL**, was born in 1658. She married, in 1678, Hopestill Leland.

### HOLBROOK.

1. **THOMAS HOLBROOK**. He came to New England in 1635, from Braintree, England, in the Rev. John Hull Company. His wife was Jane—believed to be Kingman—as Henry Kingman, in deeds, calls Thomas Holbrook brother-in-law, and which probably accounts for the Holbrooks coming in this company. Mr. Kingman was the promoter of the Company. Mr. Holbrook died at Weymouth in 1673. In his will, he charges his sons—John, William and Thomas, concerning their mother, who is weak in body, and mentions daughters Elizabeth, Ann, and Jane.

2. **JOHN** was born in Braintree, England. He came with his father, bringing his wife Abigail. He was a very wealthy man for his time, and was prominent in town affairs.

Children: Daniel, Thomas, born 1627, died 1675; Richard, Margaret, Samuel, Nathaniel, and Hannah.

3. **HANNAH**. She married John Hill of Newton before 1657. She died in 1690.



## WELLINGTON.

1. **ROGER WELLINGTON**--(whose family claim direct descent from Ralph de Wellington, time of the Conquest, who married Joan, daughter and heir of Sir William Champernon). He settled in Charlestown in 1636, and married, 1637, Mary, eldest daughter of Dr. Richard Palgrave. He was a Selectman in 1678, and many other times until 1691. His will was made in December, 1697, and he died the following March, 1698. The will did not mention his wife.

Children were: John, born 1638; Mary, Feb. 10, 1641; Joseph, 1643; Benjamin; Olive, 1648; Palgrave, 1653.

His daughter,

2. **MARY**. She was born Feb. 10, 1641. She married, May 21, 1662, Henry Maddock of Watertown, and had a son, John, and a daughter, Mary. The latter married, Sept. 16, 1679, John Coolidge, Jr., of Cambridge. Mary Wellington Maddock married (2), Sept. 13, 1679, John Coolidge, Senr., of Cambridge, and had a daughter, Mary Coolidge.

## PALGRAVE.

1. **DR. RICHARD PALGRAVE** came in the fleet with Winthrop from Stepney, Middlesex County, England. He settled, first, in Boston, where he was one of the thirteen settlers, in 1629. He moved, later, to Charlestown. "He brought wife Anne, and daughters Mary and Sarah, with perhaps others."

Children, born in New England, were: Rebecca, 1631; John, 1634; Lydia, 1636; Bethia, 1638.

All the children were baptized in the Boston Church, where the parents still worshipped. They never transferred their membership to the Church of Charlestown. He was admitted freeman October 19, 1631, and died in 1656. His widow, who was his second wife, name unknown, moved to Roxbury, where she died March 17, 1669, aged 75 years. She was buried in Roxbury.

## PHILIPS.

1. **REV. GEORGE PHILIPS** was the son of Christopher Philips of Rainham, St. Martins, County Norfolk. He was born in 1593,



graduated at Cambridge, B. A., 1613; degree of M. A., 1617. He suffered as a Nonconformist, and cast his lot with the Puritans. He sailed for New England in the "Arabella," April 12, 1630, bringing his wife Elizabeth, and two children—Rev. Samuel and Hannah, and his brother Henry. His wife died soon after their arrival, June 12, 1630. She was buried beside Lady Arabella Johnson, both having succumbed to the hardships of the long voyage. He located in Watertown, and was the earliest of the Congregational order and discipline. It is not easy, at this time, to estimate the extent and importance of the influence of Mr. Philips in giving form and character to the civil and ecclesiastic institutions of New England. He married (2) —— Stewart, by whom he had five more children. He died July 1, 1644.

His daughter,

2. HANNAH, was born in England. She married, in 1638, Joseph Morse of Watertown.

#### MASON.

1. CAPT. HUGH MASON was born in 1606. He came in the "Francis," from Ipswich, Essex, County, in 1634. He was one of the earliest settlers of Watertown, and made freeman May 4, 1634. He was Selectman for thirty-nine years—from 1639 to 1678. He was Lieutenant of Militia in 1649, and made Captain May 5, 1652. He was one of the three Commissioners to determine small civic cases before the appointment of Justices of the Peace. He was Representative in 1644, '45, '60, '61, '71, '74, '75, '76, '77. He was a tanner by trade. He married, in Ipswich, England, Esther Brooks. He died Oct. 10, 1678, aged 73 years.

Children: Hannah, born 1636; Ruth and Mary, twins, 1640; John, 1644; Joseph, 1646; David, 1648; Sarah, 1651.

His daughter,

2. MARY, was born Dec. 18, 1640. She married, May 20, 1668, REV. Joseph Estabrook of Concord.

#### LEAVITT.

1. JOHN LEAVITT, "a Scotcham," came in the "William and Mary," 1628. He was in Dorchester in 1634, but moved to Hingham,



where he was made freeman March 3, 1636. He was Deacon of the Church of Hingham, and Representative to the General Court from 1656 to 1664. His wife was Sarah Gilman. He died Nov. 20, 1691, aged 81 years, and his wife died May 26, 1700.

Children: Hannah, born 1639; Samuel, Elizabeth, 1644; Jeremiah, 1646; Isaiah, 1648; Moses, 1650; Josiah, 1653; Nehemiah, 1656; Sarah, 1659; Hannah, 1664; Abigail, 1667.

Their daughter,

2. HANNAH. She was born March 20, 1664, and married, Oct. 25, 1685, Joseph Loring, who died Feb. 3, 1691-2, aged 32 years. She married (2), August 25, 1693, Joseph Estabrook.





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